

BOARD MINUTES  
PUBLIC MEETING  
ADMINISTRATION OFFICE  
March 12, 2018  
7:00 P.M.

Call to Order: Rick Davis, Dennis Reagan, Brian Gott, Melissa Smith, Shane Steimel, Phil Foster and Mike Martin  
Pledge of Allegiance  
Prayer

- **MINUTES**

- It is recommended the Board approve the minutes of the February 12, 2018 School Board Meeting.

*Motion: Brian Gott, Second: Melissa Smith, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- It is recommended the Board approve the minutes of the February 22, 2018 Work Session.

*Motion: Dennis Reagan, Second: Brian Gott, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS/ RECOGNITIONS**

- Tobacco Free Boone County – Claire Haughton

- **REPORTS**

- Western Boone Athletic Department
  - Summer Camp Schedule

**ACTION ITEMS**

By individual motions, the Board approves/adopts the following items or actions.

1. **PERSONNEL**- All employment recommendations are pending completed satisfactory criminal background history reports
  - **Thorntown**
    - Stacey Ross-employment-School Nurse
  - **Granville Wells**
    - Ruth Ann Myers-employment-Cafeteria Aide effective February 26, 2018
  - **Western Boone**
    - Julie McClaskey-change in position- from part-time Cafeteria to Study Hall Supervisor effective February 26, 2018
    - Charles E. Jenkins-employment-Western Boone/Thorntown Maintenance Technician effective February 21, 2018
    - Teresa Gordon-employment-part time Cafeteria effective February 22, 2018
    - Addison Kinslow-employment- 2<sup>nd</sup> Shift Custodian effective February 28, 2018
    - Carrie Miles-employment- Substitute Custodian effective March 7, 2018
    - Codie Morgan-employment-3<sup>rd</sup> Shift Custodian effective March 5, 2018

- **Western Boone Athletics**
  - Karen Taylor- employment- JH Track Head Coach
  - Tom Garrity-employment- JH Track Assistant Coach
- **Western Boone Transportation**
  - Shelley Hankins-resignation-effective end of 2017-2018 school year

*Motion: Brian Gott, Second: Phil Foster, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

## 2. **BUSINESS**

- **Non-Resident Student**
  - Superintendent Ramey recommends the Board to approve the following non-resident students
    - Ariana J. Smoot – Western Boone Jr./Sr. High School 7<sup>th</sup> grade
    - Brayton McClaine –Western Boone Jr./Sr. High School 9<sup>th</sup> grade
    - Alaina L-R Smoot – Thorntown Elementary 1<sup>st</sup> grade

*Motion: Rick Davis, Second: Dennis Reagan, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0 in favor*

- **Western Boone Junior-Senior High School Student Handbook Revisions for 2018-2019**
  - Superintendent Ramey recommends the Board to approve
    - the Student Handbook Revisions for the school year 2018-2019

*Motion: Phil Foster, Second: Melissa Smith, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **Student Athletic Handbook Revisions for 2018-2019, Summer Athletics Calendar and Youth Summer Camps**
  - Jeremy Dexter, Athletic Director- recommends the Board to approve the following
    - Revisions for the 2018-2019 Student Athletic Handbook
    - 2018 Summer Athletics Master Calendar
    - 2018 Youth Summer Camp Dates, Calendar and Flyers

*Motion: Brian Gott, Second: Rick Davis, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **Permission to Pre-Write Vendor Checks Resolution 2018-1**
  - Superintendent Ramey recommends the Board to approve
    - Authorization to the Business Manager/Treasurer to make payments in a timely manner

*Motion: Dennis Reagan, Second: Melissa Smith, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **Void Checks Resolution 2018-2**
  - Superintendent Ramey recommends the Board to approve
    - Void outstanding checks that are for two or more years and receipted back to the fund of origin

*Motion: Rick Davis, Second: Dennis Reagan, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **Donations**

- Superintendent Ramey recommends the board approve the following donations
  - to the Western Boone Junior-Senior High School Athletic Department from Home National Bank for \$2,000.00 to be used for gymnasium sign
  - to the Western Boone Junior-Senior High School Athletic Department from Jon Thompson for \$432.52 to be used for Boys Basketball
  - to the Western Boone Junior-Senior High School Athletic Department from the Hoffman Family for \$500.00 to be used for Girls Soccer

*Motion: Mike Martin, Second: Dennis Reagan, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **CLAIMS**

- Approval of claims for the period of February 13, 2018 through March 12, 2018 as submitted. Claims #56214 and #56215 were discussed.

*Motion: Phil Foster, Second: Melissa Smith, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORTS**

- Comparison Report
- Fund Report

- **OTHER**

- Raegan Stuck – employment – 2<sup>nd</sup> shift custodian Western Boone effective March 12, 2018

*Motion: Brian Gott, Second: Phil Foster, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

- **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Musical-Snow White & the 7 Dwarfs      March 16-17, 2018
- Academic Excellence Ceremony      March 21, 2018
- Pre-Kindergarten Round-Up      March 22, 2018
- Kindergarten Round-Up      March 22, 2018
- Spring Break      March 26, 2018 – March 30, 2018

- **ADJOURNMENT**

The School Board President entertains a motion to adjourn

*Motion: Dennis Reagan, Second: Rick Davis, (Discussion), Vote: 7-0*

## **Handbook Revisions 2018-19**

1. **Page 9-** ADD- Students with multiple grades of F may be denied the privilege of attending field trips.
2. **Page 26-** MOVE- Extra- Curricular Events above Athletics.
3. **Page 26-** ADD- 4. Students wanting to use the Media Center during lunch period, are to acquire a pass from Ms. Skibbe before their lunch period begins and stay in the Media Center until their lunch period is over.
4. **Page 14-** ADD- 15. Possessing and/ or using illegal or prohibited items. These items include, but are not limited to, disabling sprays (such as mace, pepper spray, mustard spray), stun guns, knives, razor blades, firecrackers, and ammunition, explosive powders, stink bombs, any device or liquid designed to explode, and any item or device used to injure others.
5. **Page 19-** REMOVE- From #6 bottles, or other containers of water.
6. **Page 12-** REMOVE- #32
7. **Page 27-** ADD- PBIS- Positive Behavioral Intervention and Supports

PBIS represents a radical change in thinking about behavior and discipline. Instead of allowing poor behavior to escalate into disciplinary measures, the focus is on teaching and promoting positive behaviors. By building on these positive behaviors, escalations into discipline are reduced.

### **Western Boone's PBIS Guiding Beliefs**

1. We believe that all students deserve to be treated equally and with respect.
2. We believe establishing trust and positive relationships are essential for a positive learning community.

3. We believe that students should become individual thinkers, life-long learners, and productive citizens.
4. We believe Western Boone is committed to the success of all of its students, while also holding them to high standards.
5. We believe that we must teach students to understand that they are in charge of their goals, thoughts and actions and that the work/deeds they do today will play an important role in who they become.

## 8. Page 27- ADD- PBIS Behavior Matrix

Expectations	Cafeteria	Hallway	Restrooms	Classrooms	Assemblies	Arrival/Dismissal
Safe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Use appropriate voice level</li> <li>*Keep aisles clear</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Walk on right side of hallway</li> <li>*Appropriate voice level</li> <li>*Keep hands to self and own belongings</li> <li>*Use your own locker</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Get in, get out</li> <li>*Report suspicious behavior in the bathroom</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Follow classroom rules</li> <li>*Know emergency procedures</li> <li>*Listen to instructions and stay calm during emergency drills</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Respect personal boundaries</li> <li>*Walk</li> <li>*Enter and exit in an orderly fashion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Walk to and from busses</li> <li>*Use caution on the stairs</li> </ul>
Team Player	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Help others clean up their space</li> <li>*Pick one seat for the lunch period</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Help others if they drop items</li> <li>*Pick up trash in hallways</li> <li>*Respect everyone's space in the hallway</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Report equipment/behavioral issues</li> <li>*Clean up after yourself</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Collaborate with others</li> <li>*Work with others during appropriate time</li> <li>*Respect classmates</li> <li>*Participate in class discussions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Appropriately participate</li> <li>*Model positive behavior</li> <li>*Make room for everyone to have a seat</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Watch out for younger students coming into building</li> <li>*Drivers only take one parking spot</li> </ul>
Accountable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Clean up after yourself</li> <li>*Follow staff instructions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Keep lockers clean</li> <li>*Take pride in keeping our hallways clean</li> <li>*Follow staff instructions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Wash your hands</li> <li>*Throw away trash</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Arrive on time</li> <li>*Turn in assignments (on time)</li> <li>*Communication</li> <li>*Clean up after yourself</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Arrive on time</li> <li>*Clean up after yourself</li> <li>*Be attentive to the speaker</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Be on time</li> <li>*Plan ahead</li> <li>*Take home computers and homework material</li> </ul>
Respectful	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Be sure your table is clean</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Say excuse me if you run into someone</li> <li>*Follow teacher's instructions</li> <li>*Allow others to access their locker</li> <li>*Clean up after yourself</li> <li>*Follow staff instructions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Respect personal boundaries</li> <li>*Report misconduct &amp; bullying episodes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Talk only at appropriate times</li> <li>*Respect other people's property</li> <li>*Be respectful to classmates and teachers</li> <li>*Respect differing opinions</li> <li>*Follow staff instructions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Be respectful to guest speakers and classmates</li> <li>*Be an engaged listener</li> <li>*Follow staff instructions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Follow instructions</li> <li>*Allow others to reach their lockers so they can get to their bus</li> </ul>

9. Page 23- REMOVE- 2 or more days= 0 points. ADD- 2 or more days late may be accepted at teacher's discretion.



# Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Athletics

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*Athletic Director, Jeremy Dexter*

To: Mr. Rob Ramey  
From: Jeremy Dexter, Athletic Director  
RE: 2018-19 Student Athletic Handbook Revisions  
Date: March 6, 2018

I am seeking board approval for the 2018-19 Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Student Athletic Handbook (attached). Please accept the following recommendations for the 2018-19 Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Student Athletic Handbook.

- **2018-19 Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Student Athletic Handbook Draft – Attached**  
Key: ~~Items removed or revised~~  
Items updated or added
- **2018-19 Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Student Athletic Handbook Final Version – Attached**

# WESTERN BOONE HIGH SCHOOL



## STUDENT ATHLETE HANDBOOK

2018-2019



# **ATHLETIC HANDBOOK FOR STUDENT-ATHLETES**

## **ATHLETIC STATEMENT**

This athletic handbook is designed to inform athletes and their parents or guardians of the rules, regulations and information that helped develop the tradition of competition at Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School.

Participation in Western Boone athletics is a privilege which carries with it varying degrees of honor, responsibility and sacrifice. Since athletic competition of Western Boone teams is a privilege and not a right, those who choose to participate will be expected to follow the *Code of Conduct* established by the administration and other specific coach's rules for their sport. Athletes represent their school and student body. Athletes are to conduct themselves in a manner that is becoming to their family, Western Boone Schools and the community.

## **ATHLETIC VISION / MISSION**

The vision of the Western Boone Athletic Department is to provide the finest best opportunities for student-athletes to excel in teamwork, sportsmanship, self-discipline and moral character, while supporting the educational goals of Western Boone Jr. Sr. High School through an athletic department built on essential core values. Core values that include; being coachable, competitive, fundamental, honorable, respectable, selfless, poised, patient, credible, optimist, kind, life-balanced, honest, motivated, ambitious and hard working. Our mission is to build upon the tradition of excellence within Western Boone athletics and to produce opportunities for physical, social, and emotional growth for Western Boone student athlete, while providing each participant with experiences that will be positive and memorable. Western Boone seeks to help the athlete develop the capacity for commitment to a cause, to persevere through adversity, accept responsibility and develop loyalty towards a chosen endeavor.

## **ATHLETE DEFINED**

The Western Boone athlete is defined as and includes all young men and women who represent a team that engages in interscholastic competition and further includes cheerleaders, student managers, trainers and statisticians affiliated with a team.

## **ATHLETIC PROGRAM PROFILE**

Western Boone supports 19 sports and cheerleading to students in grades 6-12. Student-athletes participate in over 500 contests per year. Western Boone is a member of the Sagamore Athletic Conference (SAC). The SAC was formed to promote athletics, academics, activities and information exchange between our eight schools. Members are Crawfordsville, Danville, Frankfort, Lebanon, North Montgomery, Southmont, Tri-West and Western Boone.

## **SIXTH GRADE PARTICIPATION**

Western Boone Junior High School fields athletic interscholastic teams in football, cross country, volleyball, tennis, soccer, basketball, wrestling, swimming, track, baseball, softball, and golf. Football, volleyball, and basketball are considered to be grade level specific sports. Students only compete on and against participants at the same academic grade level. Cross country, tennis, soccer, wrestling, swimming, track, baseball, softball and golf are not considered to be grade level specific and allow competition across grade levels.

A majority of the schools with whom Western Boone Junior High School competes are comprised of students in grades six through eight. In an effort to increase participation in the sports which are not considered to be grade level specific, participation is open to Western Boone School Corporation students in grade six. Sixth grade students participating on Junior High School teams shall meet all participation guidelines regarding physicals, insurance coverage and academic eligibility that are in place at both their elementary school and the junior high school. All sixth grade athletes need a star card for participation.

The administration of Western Boone Junior / Senior High School reserves the right to limit the participation of any and all sixth grade students in their interscholastic teams' dependent upon the participation level at the seventh and eighth grade levels.

# **ELIGIBILITY**

## **ACADEMIC/ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY AT WESTERN BOONE**

Student-athletes must be enrolled at Western Boone and pass five full credits (IHSAA standard) each 9-week grading period in order to continue to participate as a team member. Semester-ending grades take precedence. Coaches and sponsors can check progress of students by talking with teachers, issuing periodic grade checks and checking grade cards at the end of grading periods. It is the policy of the athletic department to work closely with the academic progress of each participant. Students with failing grades will attend practices or study at the coaches' discretion during periods of academic difficulty.

## **RANDOM DRUG TESTING PROGRAM**

Western Boone Jr. Sr. High School implemented a random drug testing policy in the spring of 2005. To be eligible to participate in athletics at Western Boone a student athlete must enroll in the random drug testing pool. The random drug testing policy is outlined in our student handbook. The athletic code of conduct, specifically the consequences for substance abuse violations of the code, is aligned with the random drug testing policy.

## **PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS**

Every student-athlete is required by Western Boone and the IHSAA to have a yearly physical examination completed and on file with the athletic office before practicing the first day of official tryouts/practices in any sport. Physical exams are the responsibility of the athlete and his/her parents. Exams are in effect for the next school year if taken after May April 1st. Physical exams are offered at St. Vincent Sports Performance William I hospital in May April.

## **WHAT MUST BE DONE BEFORE YOUR FIRST PRACTICE**

The following items are to be completed by the athlete and parent/guardian before the first practice with any team:

- Take and pass physical examination and have supporting student, parent and doctor signatures
- Meet academic eligibility requirements
- Attend team meeting and AD meeting before the start of the season
- Have athletic transfer filed (Transfer students new to Western Boone cannot compete in interscholastic contests until an athletic transfer is completed)
- Have insurance waiver/handbook acknowledgment signed and on file
- Have emergency card form on file
- Have HIPPA consent to athletic training services form signed
- Pick up a Star Participation Card in the athletic office.

# **CODE OF CONDUCT**

## **STATEMENT**

The following Western Boone Athletic rules are in accordance with the Indiana High School Athletic Association Constitution. An athlete is defined as a participant on an athletic team, cheerleaders, managers, trainers, and athletic assistants.

The conduct of participants in athletics at Western Boone, in or out of school, year-round, shall be as follows:

1.) Not to reflect discredit upon our school and 2.) Not to create a disruptive influence on the discipline, good order, moral or educational environment in our school. Any such misconduct violating these principles shall be subject to disciplinary measures.

## **ENFORCEMENT OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT**

The Principal or his/her designee shall enforce all rules and regulations as described in the Code of Conduct (hereafter the Code) for athletes. All rules regarding behavior and/or training as outlined in IHSAA regulations apply. The Code will be reinforced by the coach of each sport during the year. Parents/Guardians and athletes are required to sign the consent acknowledgment, informed consent and disclosure document stating that they understand the Code and the athlete is subject to disciplinary measure should he/she violate the Code.

Any alleged violation of the Code shall be reported first to the Principal or his/her designee and then is to be followed by an investigation by any or all of the following people; coach, sponsor, athletic director, principal or his/her designee.

## **THE CODE IS ENFORCED IN TWELVE (12) MONTHS A YEAR.** **GRADES 6-7 THROUGH 12**

### **EXPECTED STANDARDS OF CONDUCT FOR ATHLETES.**

- The good of the team is first and foremost. Once a team is eliminated the individual becomes the most important.
- No player(s) will ever employ illegal tactics to gain an undeserved advantage. All players will devote themselves to sportsmanship, being a true sportsman.
- All athletes will care for all equipment as though it was their own personal property. If equipment is destroyed through practice it will be replaced by the school. If equipment is lost the athlete(s) will fulfill their responsibility by paying for replacement of items(s). Athletes will turn in school owned equipment and uniforms before being eligible in their next sport season.
- All athletes will obey the specific training and practice rules of their team as given to them by the coaching staff.
- Athletes should not engage in doing negative things. Drinking alcohol, taking controlled drug substances, using tobacco products, E-cigs, e-liquids, vapor devices, using profanity and being disobedient are harmful to athletes and their team, and are punishable under the Code of Conduct. ~~Maximum effort and performance cannot be attained during these things.~~
- Athletes and support students of the team must pass five (5) credits each grading period to be eligible to participate in athletics. Team members should plan their time so that they devote energy to their studies to insure passing grades which represent their true abilities.
- Athletes should be a positive influence in all they attempt to do. They are to work for the betterment of Western Boone and set a good example by doing what is right and good.
- Officials deserve courteous respect. All athletes must realize that officials do not lose a game or contest. They are there to ensure ~~for the purpose of ensuring both teams~~ a fair contest.
- Athletes should appreciate that coaches, teachers and school officials have the best interests of all athletes in mind as they equip, schedule and conduct the athletic program.
- All Western Boone athletes must comply with the standards of our athletic code of conduct and school rules or be subject to disciplinary action or dismissal from a team as determined by the rules, coaching staff, athletic director and/or principal of Western Boone Schools

### **IMPORTANT**

Western Boone is not asking athletes to make sacrifices. Sacrifice implies giving up good things. We are asking our athletes to do the opposite. Live clean, think clean and do those things that make them keener, finer and more competent individuals and team members. Participating in athletics is a privilege.

### **ANTI-HAZING POLICY**

Western Boone High School is committed to providing the best learning atmosphere for our students. Hazing activities are inconsistent with our educational mission and will not be tolerated in the athletic department. The Indiana Code defines hazing as "forcing or requiring another person: (1.) With or without the consent of the other person and (2.) as a condition of association with a group or organization; to perform an act that creates a substantial risk of bodily injury." The American Heritage Dictionary, Fourth Edition, defines hazing as: "To persecute or harass with meaningless, difficult, or humiliating tasks. To initiate by exacting humiliating performances from or playing rough practical jokes upon." The Western Boone Athletic Department will not tolerate actions by athletes that recklessly or intentionally endanger the mental or physical health or safety of a student. ~~This includes, but is not limited to, paddling, beating, branding, exposure to the elements, forced consumption of food or drink "swirls", forced conduct resulting in extreme embarrassment, or any other conduct which could adversely affect the mental health or dignity of another individual.~~ Disciplinary actions will be taken against students who plan, encourage, or engage in hazing activities. Athletic department employees who permit, encourage, condone or tolerate hazing will be subject to discipline.

## **RULES OF CONDUCT (Grades 6-7-12)**

The following rules are specific examples of conduct that would violate the *Code of Conduct* set forth above. Conduct that is not covered by these specific examples but that violate the principles of the *Code of Conduct* is subject to disciplinary measures at the discretion of the principal or his/her designee.

**RULE 1:** Athletes shall not knowingly possess, use, transmit or be under the influence of any narcotic drug, hallucinogenic drug, amphetamine, barbiturate, alcohol, tobacco, E-cigs, e-liquids, vapor devices, stimulant, depressant, anabolic steroids, marijuana, counterfeit caffeine pills; or possess, use or transmit paraphernalia for use of such substances. (Use of an authorized drug as prescribed by a registered physician shall not constitute a violation of this rule).

### **CONSEQUENCE: First Offense**

Suspension from contests for a minimum of 30 calendar days from the time the infraction was discovered by the administration that occur within the 180 days that make up the school year. Student-athletes will be allowed to practice and attend contests in street clothes. The Carry Over Rule will be used in instances where needed.

- **Carry Over Rule:** If the offense is committed during the school year, when the student is not participating in his/her sport season, the consequence will start on the first official practice day of his/her next sport. If the student commits the offense during summer break (not within the school year), the consequence will start on the first official day of the school year. Should a student be suspended from participation in the middle of the athletic season, he/she will finish out the remainder of the suspension when they participate in another sport.

### **Second Offense**

Suspension from athletics for 365 calendar days from the time infraction was discovered by the administration. Student-athletes will not be allowed to practice, compete, and/or try-out for any sport that falls within the time frame that the suspension is being served, unless the try-out or practice falls within the last 30 calendar days of the suspension. If the try-out or practice falls within the last 30 calendar days of the suspension, the student-athlete may try out for and practice with the team.

### **Third Offense**

Suspension from participation in athletics for the remaining time they are a student at Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School. Any student who is under the penalty for the third violation of the substance abuse policy may request a review after 2 years by a committee composed of the principal, assistant principal(s), high school athletic director, junior high school athletic director, and guidance counselor. The student will present just-cause for reinstatement. The decision of the committee must be a majority vote for reinstatement to occur. Students who are reinstated will submit to testing for drugs, alcohol, and nicotine at their personal expense per the school's request. If a positive test is obtained, the student-athlete will be banned from athletics for the remainder of their school career.

- ~~Carry Over Rule: The student's suspension will begin the first official day his/her practice begins. If the student commits the offense during summer break or any other time when the student is not participating in his/her sport season, the consequence will start on the first official practice day of his/her sport. Should a student be suspended from participation in the middle of the athletic season, he/she will finish out the remainder of the suspension when they participate in another sport.~~

### **RULE 2: Conduct**

A student may be suspended from athletics for the use of violence, force, noise, coercion, threat, intimidation, fear, passive resistance, or conduct constituting an interference with the athletic program. He/She may also be suspended for urging other students to engage in the above activity. Furthermore, damage or theft involving school and/or private property, intentionally causing bodily harm to fellow students or school employees, intimidating any student with the intent of obtaining money, possessing weapons, and failing in a substantial number of instances to comply with the directives of coaches and/or rules of the athletic program and/or school are all grounds for suspension

**CONSEQUENCE:** The athlete will suffer consequences at the discretion of the Athletic Department.

**RULE 3:** Athletes shall not be in violation of school rules such as truancy, classroom disruption, or other punishable acts.

**CONSEQUENCE:** The athlete will be disciplined by already-established school rules. He/she may further be dealt with within the structure of each coach's rules for their sport.

**RULE 4:** Athletes shall not be suspended out-of-school for any reason.

**CONSEQUENCE:** The athlete will be ineligible for all contests and practices during the term of his/her suspension.

**RULE 5:** Specific team rules may be set forth by the coach of each sport. These rules and the penalties for breaking them will be given to the athletes by the coach of that sport. These written rules will be on file with the Athletic Director.

### **ATHLETIC SEASON DEFINED**

The athletic season is defined as commencing with the first practice and ending with the final event for that sport. Penalties for violations take effect immediately upon verification of any violation and will include games in succession- i.e. season schedule, tournament and state series, in order of competition.

### **FORFEITURE OF AWARDS**

If an athlete is not in good standing at the end of the sports season that athlete forfeits all letters and awards for that sport.

### **CARRY-OVER SUSPENSION**

If the violation of the Code occurs in the last part of a sport and the violator cannot fulfill the terms of his/her violation in that sport the suspension does carry-over until the suspension is fulfilled. If a typically one-sport athlete elects to participate in a new sport ~~in order to~~ serve a suspension, he/she will be required to complete that new season in good standing.

### **COMPLETING A SUSPENSION**

When serving a suspension, the athlete is expected to be present at all athletic contests and practices involving his/her team. The athlete is a member of the team and is expected to fulfill this responsibility. If the athlete does not attend the contest, credit will not be given toward fulfilling the requirements of the suspension. It is the coach's discretion to excuse the athlete from attending a contest.

## **AWARDS**

### **AWARDS INFORMATION FOR ATHLETES**

The following information indicates the general guidelines and normal progression for awards. Athletes will receive the appropriate awards for each year as listed and explained below. New athletes to Western Boone (move-ins) cannot exchange awards from their previous school. Athletes cannot buy, substitute or make up for awards not previously won.

### **DESCRIPTION OF AWARDS**

#### **INITIAL AWARD**

Junior High students at Western Boone who participate in and complete four sports or more will receive their numerals during their 8th grade year.

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP PATCHES**

Individual champions or varsity team champions will receive victory ~~recognition~~ patches for winning the Sectional, Regional, Semi-State or State title(s). Regional, Semi-State and State qualifier patches will also be awarded when warranted.

#### **SAC INDIVIDUAL OR TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP PATCHES**

Team members or individual champions winning a SAC event will receive this patch.

#### **CAPTAINS AWARD**

Captains pin awarded to each varsity team captain.

### **LETTER JACKETS**

In order to receive a purchase a Western Boone Letter Jacket, an athlete must earn ~~26~~ points and have earned at least one varsity letter. To in order to receive a varsity letter, an athlete must be in good standing at the conclusion of the sport season.

#### 2 Points

~~Given to any freshman athlete who participates at the freshman level and does not meet the requirements for reserve points.~~

#### 3 or 4 Points

~~Given to any athlete who participates at the reserve level and does not meet the requirements for a varsity letter.~~

#### 6 Points

~~Given to any athlete who participates at the varsity level and does not meet the requirements for a 6-point letter.~~

#### 6 Points

~~Given to the athlete who has received a letter in his/her sport by meeting the following requirements:~~

Criteria for earning varsity letters:

**BASKETBALL:** Participate in 1/2 the varsity quarters and be a member of the sectional team.

**CROSS COUNTRY:** Finish in the top seven for the team in at least 1/2 the varsity meets and be a member of the sectional team or conference team.

**FOOTBALL:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity quarters and be a member of the sectional roster team. Win scout team player of the year award.

**GOLF:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity matches played.

**BASEBALL & SOFTBALL:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity games played and be a member of the sectional team.

**TENNIS:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity matches.

**TRACK:** Average 2 points per meet or participated ~~some~~ in the conference or sectional meets.

**SOCCER:** Participate in 1/2 of the halves played and be a member of the sectional team.

**SWIMMING:** Place in the top 8 of the finals of the conference meet or sectional meet or have a scoring average of 4 points a meet.

**VOLLEYBALL:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity matches and be a member of the sectional team.

**WRESTLING:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity meets and win 1/4 of your bouts.

**CHEERLEADING:** Participate in all scheduled home varsity B/G basketball games, all varsity football games, all home or away Sagamore Conference or Boone County B/G basketball games. They must also participate in IISAA Championship events for B/G basketball and football.

The coach of any sport may use his/her discretion when awarding varsity letters to members of his/her team ~~concerning~~  
~~the following requirements:~~

**MANAGERS/TRAINERS:** Managers/trainers can only receive a participation certificate ~~maximum of 3 points~~ until they have been with a program at least three (3) years at which time they may receive ~~6 points~~ and a varsity letter.

**INJURED ATHLETES:** An athlete who is injured during the season will receive consideration for a varsity letter ~~points~~ according to the athlete's status and involvement with the team before, during, and after injury.

**SENIORS:** Any senior who has been a part of the program for four years and has not met the above requirements may receive a letter at the coach's discretion.

**ACADEMIC POINTS:** An athlete in grades 9-12 may receive additional points toward a jacket through academic achievement. Points will only be earned for the scholastic cumulative GPA at the end of each academic school year. (Points earned will be added at the end of the academic year only.) If a student athlete is not in a spring sport, but if they think their end of year academic points may put them at 26 points or higher, qualifying them for a letter jacket, the student athlete may write a letter to the Athletic Director no later than May 1 requesting a review of academic points and total points for a letter jacket. To receive any academic points the student must have been an athlete at Western Boone High School.

- 1. A cumulative GPA of 3.67 or higher as it relates to Western Home's 4.0 scale...3 points
- 2. A cumulative GPA of 3.33 to 3.66 as it relates to Western Home's 4.0 scale...2 points
- 3. A cumulative GPA of 3.00 to 3.32 as it relates to Western Home's 4.0 scale...1 point

We have added the ability for a student athlete to get 2 points. In the past, it was only 1 or 3 points. And, we also have put in language that allows a student athlete who does not play a spring sport to have us check their academic points after the school year if the points will put them over the top for their letter jacket.

**SPORT SPECIFIC AWARDS:** These awards are given on a limited basis and only to athletes for outstanding performances in their sport. The criteria for these awards is set by the coaches prior to the start of each season.

**BASEBALL**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Reserve-2 Awards of coach's choice
- Jr. I high- 2 awards of coach's choice

**BASKETBALL (BOY'S)**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice
- Freshman-1 Award of coach's choice
- Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Sixth-3 Awards of coach's choice

**BASKETBALL (GIRL'S)**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice.
- Reserve- 1 Award of coach's choice
- Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Sixth-3 Awards of coach's choice

**CROSS COUNTRY**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Jr. I high-Most valuable runner
- Jr. High-Most improved

**FOOTBALL**

- Varsity-1 helmet plaques to 4 year players or members that have made first team all-conference.
- Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice

**GOLF**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice
- Jr. I high-3 Awards of coach's choice

**SOCCER**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice
- Jr. I high-3 Awards of coach's choice

**SOFTBALL**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice
- Jr. I high - 2 awards of coach's choice

**SWIMMING (BOY'S & GIRL'S)**

- Varsity-Most valuable swimmer
- Varsity-Mental attitude
- Varsity-Most improved
- Jr. I high- 3 Awards of coach's choice

**TENNIS (BOY'S & GIRL'S)**

- Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice
- Jr. I high-3 Awards of coach's choice

## **TRACK (BOY'S & GIRL'S)**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Freshman-Most improved  
Jr. High-3 Awards of coach's choice

## **VOLLEYBALL**

Varsity-3 Awards of coaches  
Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice  
Freshman-1 Award of coach's choice  
Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Sixth-3 Awards of coach's choice

## **WRESTLING**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Jr. High-3 Awards of coach's choice

### **Senior and Individual Awards**

The following awards are voted on by the Athletic Council (Principal, Athletic Director, & Head Coaches)

Paul Brackemyre Senior Boy Athlete of the year  
WEBO Senior Girl Athlete of the Year  
Senior Scholar Boy Athlete of the Year  
Senior Scholar Girl Athlete of the Year  
Boys Team Player of the Year  
Girls Team Player of the Year

# **INFORMATION FOR ATHLETES AND PARENTS**

## **ACCIDENTS/INJURIES**

All accidents or injuries, home or away, are to be reported to the trainer and/or coach immediately.

## **ATTENDANCE (ABSENCE) SCHOOL & GAME DAY**

Daily attendance to school and practice is very important and expected. A Student-athlete must be signed in by 10:45 A.M. attend the last class period of the school day in order to participate/attend in his/her athletic event or practice. Approved field trips or school activities constitute attending school. Any exemptions (funeral, dental, doctor) must be approved through the principal's office and/or athletic office.

## **CHANGING A SPORT**

If an athlete is cut from a team, he/she may join another team or program in that sport season. An athlete cannot quit one sport to join another sport until that sport season is concluded. For example, the athlete cannot quit football to go out for basketball until football season is completed. However, athletes will be allowed to transfer from one sport to another during a given season only upon mutual agreement of both coaches and the athletic director.

## **CLASS RELEASE**

There are few times or reasons why a student-athlete should ever miss class. State series practices, all-country/state dinners and rain-outs are examples of excusable releases by the school. Excused release from a class is handled through the principal's office.

## **COLLEGE-BOUND ATHLETES & RECRUITING**

If your student athlete plans to enroll in college following high school and wishes to participate in collegiate athletics, his/her initial eligibility status must be determined by the NCAA and or NIA Initial Eligibility Center. To be certified by the Eligibility Center to participate in NCAA athletics the prospective student-athlete must:

1. Complete the high school requirements for NCAA Division I or Division II participation.
2. Complete the online application process at [www.eligibilitycenter.org](http://www.eligibilitycenter.org) (preferred to be done after the student's high school junior year)
3. Complete the high school requirements for participation if interested in an NIAA institution.
4. Complete the online application process at <http://www.playnaia.org/index.php> (preferred to be done after the student's high school junior year).



Note: All high school certification requirements are online at the NCAA or NAIA eligibility center websites.

It is the prospective student-athlete's responsibility to make sure the Eligibility Center has the necessary documents to be certified. You may access your high school's list of approved core courses through the online NCAA or NAIA eligibility center or obtain the list from your guidance counselor. You should work closely with your guidance counselor as soon as your freshman year is completed; to be sure you are taking the required core curriculum courses for eligibility. Also, you should communicate with your coach your desire to participate in collegiate sports, as they can help you prepare for and search for an appropriate college opportunity.

College recruiters may visit Western Boone to talk ~~about and~~ with our athletes. Students and parents interested in pursuing athletic scholarships should start their searches by asking their individual coaches for information and advice concerning this matter. The guidance office will have additional information about the school or area of interest. NCAA Eligibility Clearinghouse rules determine who is eligible for scholarships. Basically, a student-athlete must be a 'C' student in college prep classes as determined by the NCAA, score well on the Scholastics Aptitude Test or the American College Test and have the recommendation of his/her coaches. These rules are available from the athletic office and your coach. There is time set aside for recruiter-athlete visitation. Your coach and guidance counselor will set this up. Transcripts will be provided to the university through the guidance office.

### **COMMUNICATION**

As an athlete involved in your choice of sports at Western Boone you will experience rewarding moments and times when things do not go the way you wish. At these times, your best choice is to express directly to the coach your concerns. It is always appropriate for the athlete to discuss position, consideration for future play, treatment, behavior and ways to improve. Also, it is important for each athlete to inform his/her parent(s) that they are encouraged to discuss treatment, improvement and behavior with the coach. However, it is never appropriate for athletes or parents to discuss other student-athletes with the coach.

The Western Boone Athletic Department suggests that you go through the following steps when you have a concern.

1. The athlete should address the problem with the coach one on one.
2. If the problem is not resolved, the parent should contact the coach.
3. If the problem still exists, contact the athletic director and set up a meeting with him privately or with the coach present.
4. It is always the prerogative of the parent to contact the principal, if the issue is still a problem after meeting with the athletic director and the coach.

### **DRESS**

Coaches may ask their players to dress according to team rules.

### **EQUIPMENT**

All athletes will care for all equipment as though it were their own personal property. If equipment is destroyed through practice it will be replaced by the school. If equipment is lost or stolen the athlete(s) will fulfill their responsibility by paying for replacement of item(s). Remember that stealing or wearing stolen equipment is a violation of the Code of Conduct and punishable by suspension from athletics. Equipment may not be worn during the school day, at home or on the streets without approval of the coach of that sport.

**ALL ISSUED EQUIPMENT AND UNIFORMS REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF WESTERN BOONE AND MUST BE RETURNED AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE SEASON. ANY MISSING ITEMS WILL BE CHARGED TO THE STUDENT-ATHLETE. PARTICIPATION IN NEXT SPORT SEASON, COMMENCEMENT OR NEXT YEAR'S REGISTRATION WILL BE AFFECTED UNTIL ALL FEES ARE PAID.**

### **IHSAA INDIVIDUAL ELIGIBILITY RULES (Grades 9-12)**

**ATTENTION ATHLETE: TO BE ELIGIBLE TO REPRESENT WESTERN BOONE IN INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS YOU:**

- 1) Must be a bona fide student in good standing; must be enrolled not later than the 15th day of the current semester.
- 2) Must have completed 10 separate days of organized practice in one sport under the direct supervision of the high school coaching staff.
- 3) Must have received passing grades in at least five full credit subjects during your last grading period; semester grades take precedence; and must be currently enrolled in at least five full credit subjects.
- 4) Must not have reached your 20th birthday prior to or on the scheduled date of the IHSAA state finals in a sport.

- 5) Must have been enrolled in your present high school last semester or at one of the junior highs.
- 6) Must not have been enrolled in more than eight consecutive semesters beginning in grade 9.
- 7) Must be an amateur (have not participated under an assumed name, have not accepted money or merchandise directly or indirectly for athletic participation, have not accepted awards, gifts, or honors from colleges or their alumni, have not signed a professional contract)
- 8) Must have had physical exam between April 1 - 30 and your first practice.
- 9) Must not have transferred from one school to another for athletic reasons as a result of undue influence by any person or group.
- 10) Must not have received any award from your athletic ability not approved by your principal or IHSAA.
- 11) Must not accept awards in the form of merchandise, meals, cash, etc
- 12) Must not participate in an athletic contest during the IHSAA authorized contest season for that sport as an individual or on any team other than your school team.
- 13) Must not reflect discredit upon your school.
- 14) Students with remaining eligibility must not participate in tryouts or demonstrations of athletic ability in that sport.
- 15) Must, if absent 5 or more days due to illness or injury, present written verification from a physician stating you may participate again
- 16) Must not participate in camps, clinics or schools during the IHSAA authorized contest season.
- 17) Girls shall not be permitted to participate in an IHSAA tournament program for boys where an IHSAA tournament program is offered for girls in that sport.

### **INSURANCE**

Western Boone Athletic Department does not provide insurance coverage for student-athletes. All student-athletes are given the opportunity to purchase American Youth Student and Sports Insurance at their own cost. Parents can obtain an application from the Athletic Office to purchase school insurance. Western Boone administrators, coaches and trainers are safety conscious and are trained to instruct athletes in the safe and proper techniques of their individual sport(s). Due to the nature of athletic activity, however, injury may occur. While the school provides the opportunity for parents to purchase insurance for their son/daughter, Parents retain the right of denial of such participation and must carry the responsibility for providing medical care and insurance coverage for their son or daughter. Parents are encouraged to have a family insurance policy to cover athletic injuries and the cost of treatment. **IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT NEITHER THE IHSAA NOR WESTERN BOONE JUNIOR SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CARRY ANY KIND OF FIRST DOLLAR MEDICAL INSURANCE FOR ATHLETIC INJURIES.**

### **PRACTICES (REGULAR, VACATION, SCHOOL CLOSING)**

All team members are expected to attend all practices. Practice scheduled during school vacations are set by the coach and only the coach can excuse an athlete from practice. Practice during a school closing time (snow, etc.) is not permitted without permission from the Corporation Office.

### **QUITTING A TEAM**

If an athlete participates in ten practices (pre-season) for a sport he/she cannot quit that sport and join another sport until the sport season he/she quits is completed. Example: An athlete cannot quit football to join the cross-country team or basketball team until the football season and tournament participation is completed. Mutual consent by both coaches can waive the rule if the student-athlete and team are better off for the change.

### **TEAM CUTTING POLICIES**

Coaches of the 19 varsity sports at Western Boone have their own policy on how they will choose their teams. In some sports "cutting" a team down to a manageable size is a necessity. Coaches will explain their policy to candidates for their team at the first meeting. An athlete may be cut from a team anytime during a season.

### **TRAINER**

Within Health Services Student Sports Performance provides athletic training services for Western Boone Junior-Senior High School. The trainer is present at all high school practices and home events. The trainer also covers home JH High football and wrestling events.

### **TRAINING ROOM**

The training room is located at the East end of the building. Student-athletes are not permitted in this room without adult supervision. Training rooms are for treatment and rehabilitation. Space is limited, therefore only athletes needing treatment are allowed in these rooms.

## **WEATHER**

If the Western Boone School Corporation is on a delay, all morning practices are canceled. A decision by the school will be made by 6:00 A.M. If school is closed or we have an early dismissal, all afternoon and evening practices and games will be canceled unless the Superintendent makes an exception.

## **WEIGHT ROOM**

The weight room is available for use by teams before and after school. There is a full program of weight training offered during the school year and summer under the guidance of our strength coach. No student shall use the weight room without adult supervision or without having a physical exam on file in the athletic office.

## **CELL PHONES & SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES**

1. Cell phones and cameras may not be used inside a locker room for any purpose. This means no texting, no calling and ~~no~~ no pictures. The use of cell phones, ~~regardless if it has a built-in camera or not~~, is not permitted in the locker room at any time. **NO EXCEPTIONS TO THE RULE.** This rule applies to all players, managers and coaches (coaches may use a cell phone in their office, not the locker room). A violation of this rule will result in immediate penalty, which could include dismissal from the team. If a photograph is taken, the matter may be turned over to legal authorities for possible prosecution. Should an athlete receive a call or text while ~~(+)(+)(+)~~ in the locker room, he/she should take the phone (still in backpack, book bag, gym bag, etc.) out to the hall or outside the building before use. **CAMERAS AND PHONES MAY NOT BE IN USE OR OUT IN VIEW IN THE LOCKER ROOM FOR ANY REASON.**

2. **SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES:** Student-athletes are responsible for information contained in written or electronic transmissions (i.e. e-mail) and any information posted on a public domain (i.e. Twitter, Facebook, SnapChat, Vine, chat room, Instagram, You Tube, etc.). Inappropriate or embarrassing information or pictures should not be posted in any public domain. Student-athletes are not prohibited precluded from participation in such online social networks; however, student-athletes should be reminded that they serve as representatives of their team, the athletic program and the Western Boone Community School Corporation. Texting, tweeting, posting and uses of other social networks to disparage or criticize the team, other students, opponents, coaches or other school personnel is inappropriate behavior and conduct unbecoming of a Western Boone student-athlete. Any individual identified on a social networking site which depicts illegal or inappropriate behavior, will be considered in violation and subject to athletic discipline which could include suspension or dismissal from the program. Length of suspension will be determined by the athletic director with coach's involvement.

**CONSENT FORM: Western Boone Athletic Department**

This consent form is valid for the following school year, if signed after April 1<sup>st</sup> May-1<sup>st</sup>.

**STUDENT CERTIFICATION FOR ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION** I hereby certify that I have read the Western Boone Athletic Handbook and understand the eligibility and conduct guidelines as printed. I also understand the risks involved in athletic participation. To the best of my knowledge, I have suffered no injury or illness in the past that would hinder my participation in athletics at Western Boone Junior-Senior High School.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT FORM** (to be completed by parent or legal guardian; where divorce or separation, parent with legal custody must sign)

- A. In accordance with the rules of the IHSA and Western Boone Junior-Senior High School, I hereby consent for the above student to participate in all athletics at Western Boone Junior-Senior High School.
- B. I understand that participation may necessitate an early dismissal from classes. I also understand that travel is necessary and an accident causing injury is a possibility.
- C. I know of and acknowledge that my son/daughter knows of the risks involved in athletic participation, understands that serious injury and even death may be possible in such participation, and chooses to accept any and all responsibility for his/her safety and welfare while participating in athletics. With full understanding of the risks involved, I release and hold harmless my school, the schools involved, and the IHSA of any and all responsibility and liability for any injury or claim resulting from such athletic participation. I agree to take no legal action against the IHSA or my school because of any accident or mishap involving the athletic participation of my son/daughter.
- D. As a parent and/or guardian of the above student I have read the Western Boone Athletic Handbook and discussed it with my son/daughter. I understand the Code of Conduct and realize it applies year-round. I also realize that my son/daughter is subject to disciplinary measures should he/she violate the rules of the Code of Conduct.
- E. I authorize Western Boone Junior-Senior High School to investigate and obtain information from police agencies, the probation department, or any other source regarding events leading up to an arrest of filing of charges for an act which would be in violation of any of the rules and regulations as stated in Western Boone's Athletic Handbook.
- F. As the parent or legal guardian for the Student listed above, I do hereby consent to the Student receiving athletic training services from Western Health Services ~~to enhance sports performance~~. I understand that during the course of these services certain health information related to Student's athletic training services may be used and/or disclosed for treatment, payment or healthcare operations purposes, or as otherwise required by law. I further consent to certain health information being disclosed to school personnel, including but not limited to, coaches, school administration, and/or staff, as necessary as well as the team physician and/or treating physician.
- G. Absent the fault or negligence of Western Boone agents or employees causing injury or harm to my child, I will not hold Western Boone or its personnel liable or responsible for payment of any claims arising from an incident or accident occurring in connection with my child's participation in athletics.
- H. I understand my child will not be allowed to participate in athletic contests at Western Boone Junior-Senior High School until I attend or view the ~~one of the three~~ mandatory parent meetings with the Athletic Director at the start of each sport season. These meetings will be either held in the auditorium or conducted in an on-line format for those who cannot attend in person.

**I HAVE READ THE ABOVE CAREFULLY**

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

# WESTERN BOONE HIGH SCHOOL



## STUDENT ATHLETE HANDBOOK

2018-2019

# **ATHLETIC HANDBOOK FOR STUDENT-ATHLETES**

## **ATHLETIC STATEMENT**

This athletic handbook is designed to inform athletes and their parents or guardians of the rules, regulations and information that helped develop the tradition of competition at Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School.

Participation in Western Boone athletics is a privilege which carries with it varying degrees of honor, responsibility and sacrifice. Since athletic competition of Western Boone teams is a privilege and not a right, those who choose to participate will be expected to follow the *Code of Conduct* established by the administration and other specific coach's rules for their sport. Athletes represent their school and student body. Athletes are to conduct themselves in a manner that is becoming to their family, Western Boone Schools and the community.

## **ATHLETIC VISION / MISSION**

The vision of the Western Boone Athletic Department is to provide the finest opportunities for student-athletes to excel in teamwork, sportsmanship, self-discipline and moral character, while supporting the educational goals of Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School through an athletic department built on essential core values. Core values that include; being coachable, competitive, fundamental, honorable, respectable, selfless, poised, patient, credible, optimist, kind, life-balanced, honest, motivated, ambitious and hard working. Our mission is to build upon the tradition of excellence within Western Boone athletics and to produce opportunities for physical, social, and emotional growth for Western Boone student-athlete, while providing each participant with experiences that will be positive and memorable. Western Boone seeks to help the athlete develop the capacity for commitment to a cause, to persevere through adversity, accept responsibility and develop loyalty towards a chosen endeavor.

## **ATHLETE DEFINED**

The Western Boone athlete is defined as and includes all young men and women who represent a team that engages in interscholastic competition and further includes cheerleaders, student managers, trainers and statisticians affiliated with a team.

## **ATHLETIC PROGRAM PROFILE**

Western Boone supports 19 sports and cheerleading to students in grades 6 -12. Student-athletes participate in over 500 contests per year. Western Boone is a member of the Sagamore Athletic Conference (SAC). The SAC was formed to promote athletics, academics, activities and information exchange between our eight schools. Members are Crawfordsville, Danville, Frankfort, Lebanon, North Montgomery, Southmont, Tri-West and Western Boone.

## **SIXTH GRADE PARTICIPATION**

Western Boone Junior High School fields athletic interscholastic teams in football, cross country, volleyball, tennis, soccer, basketball, wrestling, swimming, track, baseball, softball, and golf. Football, volleyball, and basketball are considered to be grade level specific sports. Students only compete on and against participants at the same academic grade level. Cross country, tennis, soccer, wrestling, swimming, track, baseball, softball and golf are not considered to be grade level specific and allow competition across grade levels.

A majority of the schools with whom Western Boone Junior High School competes are comprised of students in grades six through eight. In an effort to increase participation in the sports which are not considered to be grade level specific, participation is open to Western Boone School Corporation students in grade six. Sixth grade students participating on Junior High School teams shall meet all participation guidelines regarding physicals, insurance coverage and academic eligibility that are in place at both their elementary school and the junior high school. All sixth-grade athletes need a star card for participation.

The administration of Western Boone Junior / Senior High School reserves the right to limit the participation of any and all sixth-grade students in their interscholastic teams' dependent upon the participation level at the seventh and eighth grade levels.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

### **ACADEMIC/ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY AT WESTERN BOONE**

Student-athletes must be enrolled at Western Boone and pass five full credits (IHSAA standard) each 9-week grading period in order to continue to participate as a team member. Semester-ending grades take precedence. Coaches and sponsors can check progress of students by talking with teachers, issuing periodic grade checks and checking grade cards at the end of grading periods. It is the policy of the athletic department to work closely with the academic progress of each participant. Students with failing grades will attend practices or study at the coaches' discretion during periods of academic difficulty.

### **RANDOM DRUG TESTING PROGRAM**

Western Boone Jr. Sr. High School implemented a random drug testing policy in the spring of 2005. To be eligible to participate in athletics at Western Boone a student athlete must enroll in the random drug testing pool. The random drug testing policy is outlined in our student handbook. The athletic code of conduct, specifically the consequences for substance abuse violations of the code, is aligned with the random drug testing policy.

### **PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS**

Every student-athlete is required by Western Boone and the IHSAA to have a yearly physical examination completed and on file with the athletic office before the first day of official tryouts/practices in any sport. Physical exams are the responsibility of the athlete and his/her parents. Exams are in effect for the next school year if taken after April 1st. Physical exams are offered at Witham Hospital in April.

### **WHAT MUST BE DONE BEFORE YOUR FIRST PRACTICE**

The following items are to be completed by the athlete and parent/guardian before the first practice with any team:

- Take and pass physical examination and have supporting student, parent and doctor signatures
- Meet academic eligibility requirements
- Attend team meeting and AD meeting before the start of the season
- Have athletic transfer filed (Transfer students new to Western Boone cannot compete in interscholastic contests until an athletic transfer is completed)
- Have insurance waiver/handbook acknowledgment signed and on file
- Have emergency form on file
- Have consent to athletic training services form signed
- Pick up a Star Participation Card in the athletic office.

## **CODE OF CONDUCT**

### **STATEMENT**

The following Western Boone Athletic rules are in accordance with the Indiana High School Athletic Association Constitution. An athlete is defined as a participant on an athletic team, cheerleaders, managers, trainers, and athletic assistants.

The conduct of participants in athletics at Western Boone, in or out of school, year-round, shall be:

1.) Not to reflect discredit upon our school and 2.) Not to create a disruptive influence on the discipline, good order, moral or educational environment in our school. Any such misconduct violating these principles shall be subject to disciplinary measures.

### **ENFORCEMENT OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT**

The Principal or his/her designee shall enforce all rules and regulations as described in the Code of Conduct (hereafter the Code) for athletes. All rules regarding behavior and/or training as outlined in IHSAA regulations apply. The Code will be reinforced by the coach of each sport during the year. Parents/Guardians and athletes are required to sign the consent document stating that they understand the Code and the athlete is subject to disciplinary measure should he/she violate the Code.

Any alleged violation of the Code shall be reported first to the Principal or his/her designee and then is to be followed by an investigation by any or all of the following people; coach, sponsor, athletic director, principal or his/her designee.

## **THE CODE IS ENFORCED TWELVE (12) MONTHS A YEAR. GRADES 6-12**

### **EXPECTED STANDARDS OF CONDUCT FOR ATHLETES.**

- The good of the team is first and foremost. Once a team is eliminated the individual becomes the most important.
- No player(s) will ever employ illegal tactics to gain an undeserved advantage. All players will devote themselves to sportsmanship.
- All athletes will care for all equipment as though it was their own personal property. If equipment is destroyed through practice it will be replaced by the school. If equipment is lost the athlete(s) will fulfill their responsibility by paying for replacement of items(s). Athletes will turn in school owned equipment and uniforms before being eligible in their next sport season.
- All athletes will obey the specific training and practice rules of their team as given to them by the coaching staff.
- Athletes should not engage in doing negative things. Drinking alcohol, taking controlled drug substances, using tobacco, E-cigs, e-liquids, vapor devices, using profanity and being disobedient are harmful to athletes and their team, and are punishable under the Code of Conduct.
- Athletes and support students of the team must pass five (5) credits each grading period to be eligible to participate in athletics. Team members should plan their time so that they devote energy to their studies to insure passing grades which represent their true abilities.
- Athletes should be a positive influence in all they attempt to do. They are to work for the betterment of Western Boone and set a good example by doing what is right and good.
- Officials deserve courteous respect. All athletes must realize that officials do not lose a game or contest. They are there to ensure a fair contest.
- Athletes should appreciate that coaches, teachers and school officials have the best interests of all athletes in mind as they equip, schedule and conduct the athletic program.
- All Western Boone athletes must comply with the standards of our athletic code of conduct and school rules or be subject to disciplinary action or dismissal from a team as determined by the rules, coaching staff, athletic director and/or principal of Western Boone Schools

### **IMPORTANT**

Western Boone is not asking athletes to make sacrifices. Sacrifice implies giving up good things. We are asking our athletes to do the opposite. Live clean, think clean and do those things that make them keener, finer and more competent individuals and team members. Participating in athletics is a privilege.

### **ANTI-HAZING POLICY**

Western Boone High School is committed to providing the best learning atmosphere for our students. Hazing activities are inconsistent with our educational mission and will not be tolerated in the athletic department. The Indiana Code defines hazing as "forcing or requiring another person (1.) With or without the consent of the other person and (2.) as a condition of association with a group or organization; to perform an act that creates a substantial risk of bodily injury." The American Heritage Dictionary, Fourth Edition, defines hazing as: "To persecute or harass with meaningless, difficult, or humiliating tasks. To initiate by exacting humiliating performances from or playing rough practical jokes upon." The Western Boone Athletic Department will not tolerate actions by athletes that recklessly or intentionally endanger the mental or physical health or safety of a student. Disciplinary actions will be taken against students who plan, encourage, or engage in hazing activities. Athletic department employees who permit, encourage, condone or tolerate hazing will be subject to discipline.

### **RULES OF CONDUCT (Grades 6-12)**

The following rules are specific examples of conduct that would violate the *Code of Conduct* set forth above. Conduct that is not covered by these specific examples but that violate the principles of the *Code of Conduct* is subject to disciplinary measures at the discretion of the principal or his/her designee.

**RULE 1:** Athletes shall not possess, use, transmit or be under the influence of any narcotic drug, hallucinogenic drug, amphetamine, barbiturate, alcohol, tobacco, E-cigs, e-liquids, vapor devices, stimulant, depressant, anabolic steroids, marijuana, counterfeit caffeine pills; or possess, use or transmit paraphernalia for use of such substances. (Use of an authorized drug as prescribed by a registered physician shall not constitute a violation of this rule).



**CONSEQUENCE: First Offense**

Suspension from contests for a minimum of 30 calendar days from the time the infraction was discovered by the administration that occur within the 180 days that make up the school year. Student-athletes will be allowed to practice and attend contests in street clothes. The Carry Over Rule will be used in instances where needed.

- **Carry Over Rule:** If the offense is committed during the school year, when the student is not participating in his/her sport season, the consequence will start on the first official practice day of his/her next sport. If the student commits the offense during summer break (not within the school year), the consequence will start on the first official day of the school year. Should a student be suspended from participation in the middle of the athletic season, he/she will finish out the remainder of the suspension when they participate in another sport.

**Second Offense**

Suspension from athletics for 365 calendar days from the time infraction was discovered by the administration. Student-athletes will not be allowed to practice, compete, and/or try-out for any sport that falls within the time frame that the suspension is being served, unless the try-out or practice falls within the last 30 calendar days of the suspension. If the try-out or practice falls within the last 30 calendar days of the suspension, the student-athlete may try out for and practice with the team.

**Third Offense**

Suspension from participation in athletics for the remaining time they are a student at Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School. Any student who is under the penalty for the third violation of the substance abuse policy may request a review after 2 years by a committee composed of the principal, assistant principal(s), high school athletic director, junior high school athletic director, and guidance counselor. The student will present just -cause for reinstatement. The decision of the committee must be a majority vote for reinstatement to occur. Students who are reinstated will submit to testing for drugs, alcohol, and nicotine at their personal expense per the school's request. If a positive test is obtained, the student-athlete will be banned from athletics for the remainder of their school career.

**RULE 2: Conduct**

A student may be suspended from athletics for the use of violence, force, noise, coercion, threat, intimidation, fear, passive resistance, or conduct constituting an interference with the athletic program. He/She may also be suspended for urging other students to engage in the above activity. Furthermore, damage or theft involving school and/or private property, intentionally causing bodily harm to fellow students or school employees, intimidating any student with the intent of obtaining money, possessing weapons, and failing in a substantial number of instances to comply with the directives of coaches and/or rules of the athletic program and/or school are all grounds for suspension

**CONSEQUENCE:** The athlete will suffer consequences at the discretion of the Athletic Department.

**RULE 3:** Athletes shall not be in violation of school rules such as truancy, classroom disruption, or other punishable acts.

**CONSEQUENCE:** The athlete will be disciplined by already-established school rules. He/she may further be dealt with within the structure of each coach's rules for their sport.

**RULE 4:** Athletes shall not be suspended out-of-school for any reason.

**CONSEQUENCE:** The athlete will be ineligible for all contests and practices during the term of his/her suspension.

**RULE 5:** Specific team rules may be set forth by the coach of each sport. These rules and the penalties for breaking them will be given to the athletes by the coach of that sport. These written rules will be on file with the Athletic Director.

### **ATHLETIC SEASON DEFINED**

The athletic season is defined as commencing with the first practice and ending with the final event for that sport. Penalties for violations take effect immediately upon verification of any violation and will include games in succession- i.e. season schedule, tournament and state series, in order of competition.

### **FORFEITURE OF AWARDS**

If an athlete is not in good standing at the end of the sports season that athlete forfeits all letters and awards for that sport.

### **CARRY-OVER SUSPENSION**

If the violation of the Code occurs in the last part of a sport and the violator cannot fulfill the terms of his/her violation in that sport the suspension does carry-over until the suspension is fulfilled. If a typically one-sport athlete elects to participate in a new sport to serve a suspension, he/she will be required to complete that new season in good standing.

### **COMPLETING A SUSPENSION**

When serving a suspension, the athlete is expected to be present at all athletic contests and practices involving his/her team. The athlete is a member of the team and is expected to fulfill this responsibility. If the athlete does not attend the contest, credit will not be given toward fulfilling the requirements of the suspension. It is the coach's discretion to excuse the athlete from attending a contest.

## **AWARDS**

### **AWARDS INFORMATION FOR ATHLETES**

The following information indicates the general guidelines and normal progression for awards. Athletes will receive the appropriate awards for each year as listed and explained below. New athletes to Western Boone (move-ins) cannot exchange awards from their previous school. Athletes cannot buy, substitute or make up for awards not previously won.

### **DESCRIPTION OF AWARDS**

#### **INITIAL AWARD**

Junior High students at Western Boone who participate in and complete four sports or more will receive their numerals during their 8th grade year.

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP PATCHES**

Individual champions or varsity team champions will receive victory patches for winning the Sectional, Regional, Semi-State or State title(s). Regional, Semi-State and State qualifier patches will also be awarded when warranted.

#### **SAC INDIVIDUAL OR TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP PATCHES**

Team members or individual champions winning a SAC event will receive this patch.

#### **CAPTAINS AWARD**

Captains pin awarded to each varsity team captain.

### **LETTER JACKETS**

In order to purchase a Western Boone Letter Jacket, an athlete must earn at least one varsity letter. To receive a varsity letter, an athlete must be in good standing at the conclusion of the sport season.

Criteria for earning varsity letters:

**BASKETBALL:** Participate in 1/2 the varsity quarters and be a member of the sectional team.

**CROSS COUNTRY:** Finish in the top seven for the team in at least 1/2 the varsity meets and be a member of the sectional team or conference team.

**FOOTBALL:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity quarters and be a member of the sectional roster. Win scout team player of the year award.

**GOLF:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity matches played.

**BASEBALL & SOFTBALL:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity games played and be a member of the sectional team.

**TENNIS:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity matches.

**TRACK:** Average 2 points per meet or compete in the conference or sectional meets.

**SOCCER:** Participate in 1/2 of the halves played and be a member of the sectional team.

**SWIMMING:** Place in the top 8 of the finals of the conference meet or sectional meet or have a scoring average of 4 points a meet.

**VOLLEYBALL:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity matches and be a member of the sectional team.

**WRESTLING:** Participate in 1/2 of the varsity meets and win 1/4 of your bouts.

**CHEERLEADING:** Participate in all scheduled home varsity B/G basketball games, all varsity football games, all home or away Sagamore Conference or Boone County B/G basketball games. They must also participate in IHSAA Championship events for B/G basketball and football.

The coach of any sport may use his/her discretion when awarding varsity letters to members of his/her team.

**MANAGERS/TRAINERS:** Managers/trainers can only receive a participation certificate until they have been with a program at least three (3) years at which time they may receive a varsity letter.

**INJURED ATHLETES:** An athlete who is injured during the season will receive consideration for a varsity letter according to the athlete's status and involvement with the team before, during, and after injury.

**SENIORS:** Any senior who has been a part of the program for four years and has not met the above requirements may receive a letter at the coach's discretion.

**SPORT SPECIFIC AWARDS:** These awards are given on a limited basis and only to athletes for outstanding performances in their sport. The criteria for these awards is set by the coaches prior to the start of each season.

#### **BASEBALL**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice

Reserve-2 Awards of coach's choice

JR High- 2 awards of coach's choice

#### **BASKETBALL (BOY'S)**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice

Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice

Freshman-1 Award of coach's choice

Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice

Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice

Sixth-3 Awards of coach's choice

#### **BASKETBALL (GIRL'S)**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice.

Reserve- 1 Award of coach's choice

Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice

Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice

Sixth-3 Awards of coach's choice

#### **CROSS COUNTRY**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice

Jr. High-Most valuable runner

Jr. High-Most improved

#### **FOOTBALL**

Varsity-Helmet plaques to 4 year players or members that have made first team all-conference.

Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice

Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice

#### **GOLF**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice

Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice

Jr. High-3 Awards of coach's choice

#### **SOCCER**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice

Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice

Jr. High-3 Awards of coach's choice

## **SOFTBALL**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice  
Jr. High - 2 awards of coach's choice

## **SWIMMING (BOY'S & GIRL'S)**

Varsity-Most valuable swimmer  
Varsity-Mental attitude  
Varsity-Most improved  
Jr. High- 3 Awards of coach's choice

## **TENNIS (BOY'S & GIRL'S)**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Jr. High-3 Awards of coach's choice

## **TRACK (BOY'S & GIRL'S)**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Freshman-Most improved  
Jr. High-3 Awards of coach's choice

## **VOLLEYBALL**

Varsity-3 Awards of coaches  
Reserve-1 Award of coach's choice  
Freshman-1 Award of coach's choice  
Eighth-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Seventh-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Sixth-3 Awards of coach's choice

## **WRESTLING**

Varsity-3 Awards of coach's choice  
Jr. High-3 Awards of coach's choice

### **Senior and Individual Awards**

The following awards are voted on by the Athletic Council (Principal, Athletic Director, & Head Coaches)

Paul Brackemyre Senior Boy Athlete of the year  
WEBO Senior Girl Athlete of the Year  
Senior Scholar Boy Athlete of the Year  
Senior Scholar Girl Athlete of the Year  
Boys Team Player of the Year  
Girls Team Player of the Year

## **INFORMATION FOR ATHLETES AND PARENTS**

### **ACCIDENTS/INJURIES**

All accidents or injuries, home or away, are to be reported to the trainer and/or coach immediately.

### **ATTENDANCE (ABSENCE) SCHOOL & GAME DAY**

Daily attendance to school and practice is very important and expected. A Student-athlete must be signed in by 10:45 A.M. in order to participate/attend his/her athletic event or practice. Approved field trips or school activities constitute attending school. Any exemptions (funeral, dental, doctor) must be approved through the principal's office and/or athletic office.

### **CHANGING A SPORT**

If an athlete is cut from a team, he/she may join another team or program in that sport season. An athlete cannot quit one sport to join another sport until that sport season is concluded. For example, the athlete cannot quit football to go out for basketball until football season is completed. However, athletes will be allowed to transfer from one sport to another during a given season only upon mutual agreement of both coaches and the athletic director.

### **CLASS RELEASE**

There are few times or reasons why a student-athlete should ever miss class. State series practices, all-county/state dinners and min-outs are examples of excusable releases by the school. Excused release from a class is handled through the principal's office.

## **COLLEGE-BOUND ATHLETES & RECRUITING**

If your student athlete plans to enroll in college following high school and wishes to participate in collegiate athletics, his/her initial eligibility status must be determined by the NCAA and or NALA Initial Eligibility Center. To be certified by the Eligibility Center to participate in NCAA athletics the prospective student-athlete must

1. Complete the high school requirements for NCAA Division I or Division II participation.
2. Complete the online application process at [www.eligibilitycenter.org](http://www.eligibilitycenter.org) (preferred to be done after the student's high school junior year)
3. Complete the high school requirements for participation if interested in an NALA institution.
4. Complete the online application process at <http://www.playnaia.org/index.php> (preferred to be done after the student's high school junior year).

Note: All high school certification requirements are online at the NCAA or NALA eligibility center websites.

It is the prospective student-athlete's responsibility to make sure the Eligibility Center has the necessary documents to be certified. You may access your high school's list of approved core courses through the online NCAA or NALA eligibility center or obtain the list from your guidance counselor. You should work closely with your guidance counselor as soon as your freshman year is completed; to be sure you are taking the required core curriculum courses for eligibility. Also, you should communicate with your coach your desire to participate in collegiate sports, as they can help you prepare for and search for an appropriate college opportunity.

College recruiters may visit Western Boone to talk with our athletes. Students and parents interested in pursuing athletic scholarships should start their searches by asking their individual coaches for information and advice concerning this matter. The guidance office will have additional information about the school or area of interest. NCAA Eligibility Clearinghouse rules determine who is eligible for scholarships. Basically, a student-athlete must be a 'C' student in college prep classes as determined by the NCAA, score well on the Scholastics Aptitude Test or the American College Test and have the recommendation of his/her coaches. These rules are available from the athletic office and your coach. There is time set aside for recruiter-athlete visitation. Your coach and guidance counselor will set this up. Transcripts will be provided to the university through the guidance office.

## **COMMUNICATION**

As an athlete involved in your choice of sports at Western Boone you will experience rewarding moments and times when things do not go the way you wish. At these times, your best choice is to express directly to the coach your concerns. It is always appropriate for the athlete to discuss position, consideration for future play, treatment, behavior and ways to improve. Also, it is important for each athlete to inform his/her parent(s) that they are encouraged to discuss treatment, improvement and behavior with the coach. However, it is never appropriate for athletes or parents to discuss other student-athletes with the coach.

The Western Boone Athletic Department suggests that you go through the following steps when you have a concern.

1. The athlete should address the problem with the coach one on one.
2. If the problem is not resolved, the parent should contact the coach.
3. If the problem still exists, contact the athletic director and set up a meeting privately or with the coach present.
4. It is always the prerogative of the parent to contact the principal, if the issue is still a problem after meeting with the athletic director and the coach.

## **DRESS**

Coaches may ask their players to dress according to team rules.

## **EQUIPMENT**

All athletes will care for all equipment as though it were their own personal property. If equipment is destroyed through practice it will be replaced by the school. If equipment is lost or stolen the athlete(s) will fulfill their responsibility by paying for replacement of item(s). Remember that stealing or wearing stolen equipment is a violation of the Code of Conduct and punishable by suspension from athletics. Equipment may not be worn during the school day, at home or on the streets without approval of the coach of that sport.

**ALL ISSUED EQUIPMENT AND UNIFORMS REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF WESTERN BOONE AND MUST BE RETURNED AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE SEASON. ANY MISSING ITEMS WILL BE CHARGED TO THE STUDENT-ATHLETE. PARTICIPATION IN NEXT SPORT SEASON, COMMENCEMENT OR NEXT YEAR'S REGISTRATION WILL BE AFFECTED UNTIL ALL FEES ARE PAID.**

## **IHSAA INDIVIDUAL ELIGIBILITY RULES (Grades 9-12)**

### **ATTENTION ATHLETE: TO BE ELIGIBLE TO REPRESENT WESTERN BOONE IN INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS YOU:**

- 1) Must be a bona fide student in good standing; must be enrolled not later than the 15th day of the current semester.
- 2) Must have completed 10 separate days of organized practice in one sport under the direct supervision of the high school coaching staff.
- 3) Must have received passing grades in at least five full credit subjects during your last grading period; semester grades take precedence; and must be currently enrolled in at least five full credit subjects.
- 4) Must not have reached your 20th birthday prior to or on the scheduled date of the IHSAA state finals in a sport.
- 5) Must have been enrolled in your present high school last semester or at one of the junior highs.
- 6) Must not have been enrolled in more than eight consecutive semesters beginning in grade 9.
- 7) Must be an amateur (have not participated under an assumed name, have not accepted money or merchandise directly or indirectly for athletic participation, have not accepted awards, gifts, or honors from colleges or their alumni, have not signed a professional contract.)
- 8) Must have had physical exam between April 1<sup>st</sup> and your first practice.
- 9) Must not have transferred from one school to another for athletic reasons as a result of undue influence by any person or group.
- 10) Must not have received any award from your athletic ability not approved by your principal or IHSAA.
- 11) Must not accept awards in the form of merchandise, meals, cash, etc.
- 12) Must not participate in an athletic contest during the IHSAA authorized contest season for that sport as an individual or on any team other than your school team.
- 13) Must not reflect discredit upon your school.
- 14) Students with remaining eligibility must not participate in tryouts or demonstrations of athletic ability in that sport.
- 15) Must, if absent 5 or more days due to illness or injury, present written verification from a physician stating you may participate again.
- 16) Must not participate in camps, clinics or schools during the IHSAA authorized contest season.
- 17) Girls shall not be permitted to participate in an IHSAA tournament program for boys where an IHSAA tournament program is offered for girls in that sport.

## **INSURANCE**

Western Boone Athletic Department does not provide insurance coverage for student-athletes. Western Boone administrators, coaches and trainers are safety conscious and are trained to instruct athletes in the safe and proper techniques of their individual sport(s). Due to the nature of athletic activity, however, injury may occur. Parents must carry the responsibility for providing medical care and insurance coverage for their son or daughter. Parents are encouraged to have a family insurance policy to cover athletic injuries and the cost of treatment. **IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT NEITHER THE IHSAA NOR WESTERN BOONE JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CARRY ANY KIND OF FIRST DOLLAR MEDICAL INSURANCE FOR ATHLETIC INJURIES.**

## **PRACTICES (REGULAR, VACATION, SCHOOL CLOSING)**

All team members are expected to attend all practices. Practice scheduled during school vacations are set by the coach and only the coach can excuse an athlete from practice. Practice during a school closing time (snow, etc.) is not permitted without permission from the Corporation Office.

## **TEAM CUTTING POLICIES**

Coaches of the 19 varsity sports at Western Boone have their own policy on how they will choose their teams. In some sports "cutting" a team down to a manageable size is a necessity. Coaches will explain their policy to candidates for their team at the first meeting. An athlete may be cut from a team anytime during a season.

## **TRAINER**

Witham Health Services provides athletic training services for Western Boone Junior-Senior High School. The trainer is present at all high school practices and home events. The trainer also covers home JH High football and wrestling events.

## **TRAINING ROOM**

The training room is located at the East end of the building. Student-athletes are not permitted in this room without adult supervision. Training rooms are for treatment and rehabilitation. Space is limited, therefore only athletes needing treatment are allowed in these rooms.

## **WEATHER**

If the Western Boone School Corporation is on a delay, all morning practices are canceled. A decision by the school will be made by 6:00 A.M. If school is closed or we have an early dismissal, all afternoon and evening practices and games will be canceled unless the Superintendent makes an exception.

### **WEIGHT ROOM**

The weight room is available for use by teams before and after school. There is a full program of weight training offered during the school year and summer under the guidance of our strength coach. No student shall use the weight room without adult supervision or without having a physical exam on file in the athletic office.

### **CELL PHONES & SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES**

1. Cell phones and cameras may not be used inside a locker room for any purpose. This means no texting, no calling and no pictures. The use of cell phones, is not permitted in the locker room at any time. **NO EXCEPTIONS TO THE RULE.** This rule applies to all players, managers and coaches (coaches may use a cell phone in their office, not the locker room). A violation of this rule will result in immediate penalty, which could include dismissal from the team. If a photograph is taken, the matter may be turned over to legal authorities for possible prosecution. Should an athlete receive a call or text while in the locker room, he/she should take the phone (still in backpack, book bag, gym bag, etc.) out to the hall or outside the building before use. **CAMERAS AND PHONES MAY NOT BE IN USE OR OUT IN VIEW IN THE LOCKER ROOM FOR ANY REASON.**

2. **SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES:** Student-athletes are responsible for information contained in written or electronic transmissions (i.e. e-mail) and any information posted on a public domain (i.e. Twitter, Facebook, SnapChat, Vine, chat room, Instagram, You Tube, etc.). Inappropriate or embarrassing information or pictures should not be posted in any public domain. Student-athletes are not prohibited from participation in such online social networks; however, student-athletes should be reminded that they serve as representatives of their team, the athletic program and the Western Boone Community School Corporation. Texting, tweeting, posting and uses of other social networks to disparage or criticize the team, other students, opponents, coaches or other school personnel is inappropriate behavior and conduct unbecoming of a Western Boone student-athlete. Any individual identified on a social networking site which depicts illegal or inappropriate behavior, will be considered in violation and subject to athletic discipline which could include suspension or dismissal from the program. Length of suspension will be determined by the athletic director with coach's involvement.

**CONSENT FORM: Western Boone Athletic Department**

This consent form is valid for the following school year, if signed after April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**STUDENT CERTIFICATION FOR ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION** I hereby certify that I have read the Western Boone Athletic Handbook and understand the eligibility and conduct guidelines as printed. I also understand the risks involved in athletic participation. To the best of my knowledge, I have suffered no injury or illness in the past that would hinder my participation in athletics at Western Boone Junior-Senior High School

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT FORM** (to be completed by parent or legal guardian; where divorce or separation, parent with legal custody must sign)

- A. In accordance with the rules of the HISA and Western Boone Junior Senior High School, I hereby consent for the above student to participate in all athletics at Western Boone Junior Senior High School.
- B. I understand that participation may necessitate an early dismissal from classes. I also understand that travel is necessary and an accident causing injury is a possibility.
- C. I know of and acknowledge that my son/daughter knows of the risks involved in athletic participation, understands that serious injury and even death may be possible in such participation, and chooses to accept any and all responsibility for his/her safety and welfare while participating in athletics. With full understanding of the risks involved, I release and hold harmless my school, the schools involved, and the HISA of any and all responsibility and liability for any injury or claim resulting from such athletic participation. I agree to take no legal action against the HISA or my school because of any accident or mishap involving the athletic participation of my son/daughter.
- D. As a parent and/or guardian of the above student I have read the Western Boone Athletic Handbook and discussed it with my son/daughter. I understand the Code of Conduct and realize it applies year-round. I also realize that my son/daughter is subject to disciplinary measures should he/she violate the rules of the Code of Conduct.
- E. I authorize Western Boone Junior Senior High School to investigate and obtain information from police agencies, the probation department, or any other source regarding events leading up to an arrest or filing of charges for an act which would be in violation of any of the rules and regulations as stated in Western Boone's Athletic Handbook.
- F. As the parent or legal guardian for the Student listed above, I do hereby consent to the Student receiving athletic training services from Winham Health Services. I understand that during the course of these services certain health information related to Student's athletic training services may be used and/or disclosed for treatment, payment or healthcare operations purposes, or as otherwise required by law. I further consent to certain health information being disclosed to school personnel, including but not limited to, coaches, school administration, and/or staff, as necessary as well as the team physician and/or treating physician.
- G. Absent the fault or negligence of Western Boone agents or employees causing injury or harm to my child, I will not hold Western Boone or its personnel liable or responsible for payment of any claims arising from an incident or accident occurring in connection with my child's participation in athletics.
- H. I understand my child will not be allowed to participate in athletic contests at Western Boone Junior Senior High School until I attend or view the mandatory parent meetings with the Athletic Director at the start of each sport season. These meetings will be either held in the auditorium or conducted in an on-line format for those who cannot attend in person.

**I HAVE READ THE ABOVE CAREFULLY**

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_





# Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Athletics

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*Athletic Director, Jeremy Dexter*

To: Mr. Rob Ramey  
From: Jeremy Dexter, Athletic Director  
RE: 2018 High School Summer Athletics Master Calendar  
Date: March 6, 2018

I am presenting the current 2018 Western Boone High School Summer Athletics Master Calendar. The athletic department and its coaching staff is dedicated to sharing athletes and working together to make certain our athletes are able to participate in multiple sports to maximize their opportunities and our success.

**Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Summer Athletics Master Calendar – (Attached)**





Waldo Stars High School SUMMER CALENDAR

# July 2018

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8		9 B 7:30-9 G 9-10:30 VB 7:30-9:00 AM B Soccer 9-11 AM Swimming 11-1 PM G Soccer 5:30-7:30 PM XC 5:30-7 PM	10 G 3-4 B 4:30-5:30 Swimming 11-1 PM GBB 1:30-3 PM G Soccer 5:30-7:30 PM VB JV Girls C 5:30-9 PM	11 VB 8-10 AM Tennis 9-10:30 AM Swimming 11-1 PM XC 5:30-7 PM (McCloud) Star Card Night PB 4-6 ALL 6-8	12 B 7:30-9 G 9-10:30 B Soccer 9-11 AM GBB 10:30-1 PM Swimming 11-1 PM G Soccer 5:30-7:30 PM VB V Girls C 5:30-9 PM G Golf Open Play 1:30 PM	13 VB 8-10:30 AM Swimming 11-1 PM	14
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22		23 OFF	24	25 XC Camp (McCloud) 10-7 OFF	26 OFF	27	28
29	30 First Day Fall Practice	31	1	2	3	4	
9	First Day Fall Practice July 30th ★	Strength Boys Soccer Girls Soccer Cross Country	Tennis Volleyball Football Boys Basketball	Girls Basketball Wrestling Swimming & Diving Baseball	Softball Golf Track & Field Cheer		



# Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Athletics

*Athletic Director, Jeremy Dexter*

To: Mr. Rob Ramey  
From: Jeremy Dexter, Athletic Director  
RE: 2018 Youth Sports Summer Camps  
Date: March 6, 2018

I am seeking board approval for the 2018 Western Boone Youth Sports Summer Camp Dates, Calendar and Flyers (attached) hosted and ran by Western Boone Varsity Head Coaches. Please accept the following recommendations for the 2018 youth sports summer camp dates, calendar and flyers.

### Western Boone Jr.-Sr. High School Youth Sport Summer Camp Dates

Sport	Dates	Time
Volleyball	June 4-7 <sup>th</sup>	4:30-7:00 PM
Girls Soccer	June 6-8 <sup>th</sup>	8:30-Noon
Boys Basketball	June 11-14 <sup>th</sup>	10:00-2:00 PM
Wrestling	June 14-16 <sup>th</sup>	5:30-7:30 PM
Tennis	June 18-21 <sup>st</sup>	6:00-7:30 PM
Golf (Session 1)	June 18-21 <sup>st</sup>	8:30-10:30 AM
Girls Basketball	June 25-28 <sup>th</sup>	4:30-7:30 PM
Football	July 9-12 <sup>th</sup>	6:00-7:30 PM
Cross Country	July 16-18 <sup>th</sup>	5:30-7:00 PM
Golf (Session 2)	July 23-27 <sup>th</sup>	8:30-10:30 AM
Swimming	Multiple Dates (attached)	Multiple Times (attached)

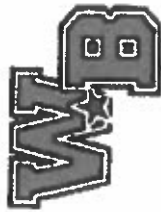


Webb Stars Tentative Youth Camp SUMMER CALENDAR

# June 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	VB 4:30-7 PM	VB 4:30-7 PM	VB 4:30-7 PM	VB 4:30-7 PM		
			G Soccer 8:30-12 Noon	G Soccer 8:30-12 Noon	G Soccer 8:30-12 Noon	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	BBB 10 AM - 2 PM	BBB 10 AM - 2 PM	BBB 10 AM - 2 PM	BBB 10 AM - 2 PM		
				Wrestling 5:30-7:30 PM	Wrestling 5:30-7:30 PM	Wrestling 5:30-7:30 PM
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	Golf 8:30-10:30 AM		
	Tennis 6-7:30 PM	Tennis 6-7:30 PM	Tennis 6-7:30 PM	Tennis 6-7:30 PM		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	GBB 4:30-7 PM	GBB 4:30-7 PM	GBB 4:30-7 PM	GBB 4:30-7 PM		
	Strength	Tennis	Glide Basketball	Softball		
	Boys Soccer	Volleyball	Wrestling	Golf		
	Girls Soccer	Football	Swimming & Diving	Track & Field		
	Cross Country	Boys Basketball	Baseball	Cheer		





Web Stars Tentative SUMMER CALENDAR

# July 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8	9 Football 6-7:30 PM	10 Football 6-7:30 PM	11 Football 6-7:30 PM	12 Football 6-7:30 PM	13	14
15	16 XC 5:30-7 PM	17 XC 5:30-7 PM	18 XC 5:30-7 PM	19	20	21
22	23 Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	24 Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	25 Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	26 Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	27 Golf 8:30-10:30 AM	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
29	First Day Fall Practice July 30th	Strength Boys Soccer Girls Soccer Cross Country	Tennis Volleyball Football Boys Basketball	Girls Basketball Wrestling Swimming & Diving Baseball	Softball Golf Track & Field Cheer	



# Summer Volleyball Camp



Western Boone will be having a volleyball camp this summer. Would you like to join the fun and learn fundamental volleyball skills? Camp will be run by the varsity coach, Laura Lawson, with help from the Webo high school players and coaching staff.

**Who:** Girls in first through eighth grade for the following 2018-2019 school year

**When:** June 4<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 1<sup>st</sup>- 4<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-5:45

5<sup>th</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup> from 5:15-7:00

**Cost:** \$30 for grades 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> \*\*includes a t-shirt

\$40 for grades 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> \*\*includes a t-shirt

**Where:** Western Boone Junior High and Aux Gym

\*\*\*Please fill out the bottom portion of the form and return it to the following location by May 30<sup>th</sup>, so that all t-shirts can be ordered and ready. Players can come to camp without pre-registering, but aren't guaranteed a shirt.

Make checks payable to Western Boone Volleyball Camp and mail to:  
Western Boone Volleyball c/o Laura Lawson  
1205 N. St. Rd. 75  
Thorntown, In 46071

\*\*\*If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Laura Lawson at (765) 894-1547 or [llawson523@yahoo.com](mailto:llawson523@yahoo.com)

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Athlete's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade (Next school year) \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt Size: YS    YM    YL    Sm    Med    Large XL

Parent or guardian consent: I feel that \_\_\_\_\_ is physically fit enough to participate in the Western Boone Volleyball Camp and she is adequately covered by medical insurance. I also understand that camp directors and Western Boone School Corporation are not liable for any injuries that may occur during camp. This is my permission to let my daughter participate in the Western Boone Volleyball Camp.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



**A MESSAGE  
FROM THE  
WESTERN  
BOONE BOYS  
BASKETBALL  
TEAM**

We want you to know that you are as much a part of our program as any coach, player or manager. We truly appreciate your support and want you to know that we will be working everyday to put a team on the floor that you can be proud of, not only as basketball players, but as members of the community.

We hope that at our basketball Camp, we will be able to help instill the values, skills and work ethic required to be great teammates, players and individuals. We will accomplish this by focusing the majority of our time on the fundamentals of the game, such as drills to help them with their dribbling, passing, shooting and defense. The rest of the time will be spent playing games and having contests to help encourage unselfishness, competitiveness and an overall team concept. All the while modeling appropriate behavior and sportsmanship.



**Western Boone  
High School**

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High School**

1205 IN-75  
Thomtown, IN 46071

Phone: 765-482-6143

**Western Boone School  
Corporation**

**WEBO  
Future Stars  
Boys  
Basketball  
Camp  
June 11-14**



**Desire, Dedication,  
Discipline and Drill**





This camp has been designed for athletes of all ages: from Kindergarten to 8th grade. The drills and skills that they will learn will make them more fundamentally strong and therefore increase their chances of becoming a complete basketball player. During each session the campers will get a chance to work with the High School coaches and players. They will practice many of the drills and exercises that the JV and Varsity teams will perform on a daily basis.

The campers will not only receive instruction on a daily basis, but they will also be given a packet of drills that they will be able to practice at home, the park, or pretty much wherever a basketball can be dribbled.

On the last day of camp, we will spend a little less time on the fundamentals and spend more time on contests with prizes for the winners. Then, at the end, each camper will receive a T-shirt with our schedule printed on the back.

## DESIRE, DEDICATION, DISCIPLINE AND DRILL

In our program we stress the 4 D's. You have to want to be great! You have to make it a priority! You have to try to do things the right way every time! And lastly you have to make it a habit! We recognize that to be great on the court we need to adhere to these principles, but also by adhering to these principles we will be better served in our everyday lives.

## TEAM EGO

“The whole is greater than the sum of its parts”

There is pride in being a part of something bigger than yourself when you helped to make it that way. At Western Boone High School, we hope to instill this feeling to all who coach, play and show support for this program.

### Grade Level Sign-up

Sign-up for	Time	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Kindergarten—2nd grade	10:00-11:00	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd—5th grade	11:30—12:30	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 6th—8th grade	12:45—2:00	\$50.00

Additional campers are \$10.00!

- Kindergarten—2nd grade  
 3rd—5th grade  
 6th—8th grade

Subtotal

Tax

Total

Name

Parent's Name (s)

Team/Address

Method of Payment

- Check *Make checks payable to Varsity Hoops*  
 Cash



Western Boone  
High School

2600 S. 600 W  
Russiaville, IN 46979

Phone: 765-492-6143

# WESTERN BOONE YOUTH WRESTLING CAMP



June 14<sup>th</sup> – June 16<sup>th</sup>  
6:00pm-7:30pm  
Western Boone Wrestling Room



Camp is run by the Western Boone High School Varsity coaching staff, wrestlers, and special guest alumni wrestlers. Campers will learn the fundamental skills and rules of the wrestling in a fun environment. First time wrestlers will be shown basic fundamentals of the sport and experienced wrestlers will have the opportunity to build on their skills. Every camper will receive a camp t-shirt.

**\$25.00 per camper**  
(Kids in Grades 2-6)

**Things to bring:** Shorts, t-shirt, headgear, a mouthpiece, and wrestling shoes (limited supply of wrestling shoes and headgear available to borrow).

Please fill out the bottom portion of this form and return it to the following address by **Friday, June 1st**. Walk ups are welcome, but you are not guaranteed a t-shirt. Limited supply of additional camp t-shirts will be available on a first-come first-serve basis.

Make checks payable to **Western Boone Wrestling Club** and mail to:  
c/o Matthew Joyce  
1205 N. St. Rd. 75  
Thorntown, IN 46071

If you have any questions, please contact Coach Matt Joyce  
Phone: 765-376-7198  
E-mail: [coachjoycewcho@gmail.com](mailto:coachjoycewcho@gmail.com)

Wrestler Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (Spring 2018): \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size: YS    YM    YL    XS    S    M    L

Parent or guardian consent: I feel that \_\_\_\_\_ is physically fit enough to participate in the Western Boone Wrestling Camp and he/she is adequately covered by medical insurance. I also understand that camp directors and Western Boone School Corporation are not liable for any injuries that may occur during camp. This is my permission to let my son/daughter to participate in the Western Boone Youth Wrestling Camp.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## WESTERN BOONE SUMMER TENNIS CAMP

When: June 18th – June 21st  
(We will not have camp on Friday unless we have a rainout)  
(If we have two or more rainout dates, we will be in the gym)

Our Summer Tennis Camp is run by The Boys' and Girls' Varsity coaching staffs and players. Campers will learn the fundamental skills and rules of the game. First time campers will start with the basic fundamentals. Prior campers will build on skills from their previous camp experience.

<u>AGES</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>COST</u>
Grades K-8	6:00-7:15 PM	***

*Kindergarten – 3rd graders will be on courts 1-4 and 4th graders – 8th graders on courts 5-8*

**The cost to attend camp is \$30.00.**

- \*ALL STUDENTS ATTENDING CAMP NEED TO BRING A TENNIS RACKET!
- \*Every camper will receive a can of tennis balls.
- \*We will have a contest at the end of camp with prizes.
- \*Please fill out the bottom portion of the form and return it to the following address by **Thursday, June 7th**. Walk ups are welcome, but you are not guaranteed a can of balls.

Make checks payable to Western Boone Tennis and mail to:  
c/o Dustin Cunningham  
1205 N. St. Rd. 75  
Thorntown, IN 48071

\*\*\*If you have any questions, please contact Coach Cunningham at the high school (765-482-6143, ext. 3232) or by E-mail at [Dustin.Cunningham@webo.k12.in.us](mailto:Dustin.Cunningham@webo.k12.in.us)

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Age and Grade as of 2017-2018 school year \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or guardian consent: I feel that \_\_\_\_\_ is physically fit enough to participate in the Western Boone Tennis Camp and he/she is adequately covered by medical insurance. I also understand that camp directors and Western Boone School Corporation are not liable for any injuries that may occur during camp. This is my permission to let my son/daughter to participate in the Western Boone Tennis Camp.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

# Cool Lake Golf Camp SESSION #1

When: Monday, June 18th to Friday June 22nd

Where: Cool Lake Golf Course

Ages: Incoming K to 8th

Times: Group 1: 8:30am to 9:30  
Group 2: 9:30am to 10:30

Cost: \$50 1st child  
\$45 2nd child (immediate family)  
\$40 3rd child (immediate family)

**CIRCLE PREFERRED TIME**

\*\* If the times are not 'even', I might ask for  
volunteers to change times

- Includes:**
- > Daily Instruction from Western Boone HS Staff and other quality instructors.
  - > Basic instruction of the game... Full Swing, Chipping and Putting.
  - > Some on course time later in the week.
  - > Equipment provided if needed ( Please mark below)
  - > Competitions with awards to winners on Friday.
  - > T-Shirt for all campers.
  - > Chance to win small prizes daily

To sign up: Send Checks to: **Western Boone Boys Golf**  
**7341 W 350 N**  
**Thorntown, IN 46071**

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Participates Name \_\_\_\_\_

Incoming Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Experience: Yes or No  
options: YM YL S M L XL XXL

PREFERRED TIME: \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you need Clubs? Y or N

SUMMER  
JUNE 25-28



LADY STARS  
2018

CAMP

The camp will be conducted by Head Coach, Megan Alexander, her staff and the Lady Stars basketball team. Emphasis will be placed on the fundamentals of the game, such as dribbling, shooting, footwork, defense and passing. Each player will receive a t-shirt and various awards will be given at the conclusion.

**COST: \$35 (\$25 for second child in the family) Checks payable to Western Boone Girls Basketball**

Participant Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Next Fall \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size Circle ONE: Youth S M L Adult S M L XL

Please indicate the session for your child below:

\_\_\_\_\_ Session 1 June 25-28 4:30pm-5:30pm: Incoming 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> graders

\_\_\_\_\_ Session 2 June 25-28 5:30pm-7pm: Incoming 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> graders

Parent consent: I hereby give my consent for my daughter to participate in the Western Boone Basketball Camp. I agree not to hold the Western Boone School Corporation and all persons associated with the camp liable for any injury my child might suffer while participating in the camp. This is my permission for my daughter to participate in the Western Boone Basketball Camp.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



# 2018 Western Boone Youth Football Camp (2nd/3rd/4th/5th)

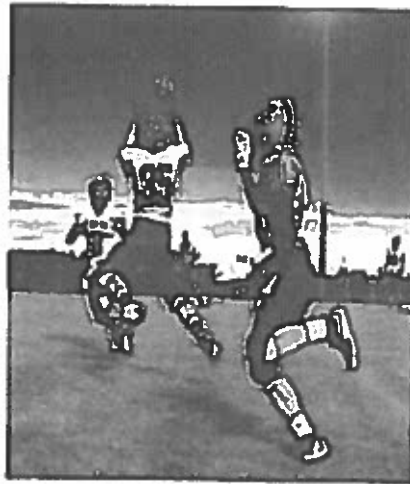
When: July 9th-10th-11th-12th

Time: 6pm-7:30pm Cost: \$50 (\$40 for each additional sibling)

Where: Western Boone Varsity Football Facility

### Special points of interest:

- Position Specific fundamentals
- Speed Development
- Offensive and Defensive Emphasis.
- Pre-Registration is advised
- Walk up Registration will be accepted
- Cost is \$50 per athlete
- Camp T-Shirt will be provided
- Camp Competitions



The Western Boone varsity football staff and the varsity football players will provide four days of fundamental instruction to all Western Boone Youth Football League players going into grades 2nd-5th. WEBO youth players may register for the camp when signing up for WEBO Youth league play. Participants will receive a camp T-Shirt and all sessions will be held at the Varsity Football Facility. **\*Webo Youth League**

**Player Evaluations will be conducted during the camp this year.**

Please send completed registration to:

Western Boone High School

Attn: Coach Pelley

1205 N State Rd 75

Thorntown, IN 46071

Contact Coach Pelley

Email [Justin.pelley@webo.k12.in.us](mailto:Justin.pelley@webo.k12.in.us)

### What to wear:

- Cleats
- Shorts
- T-Shirt

### What to bring:

- Completed registration form with parent signature.

(Please return with checks made out to **ENDZONE CLUB**)

Player Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size: Youth S Youth M Youth L Adult Sizes: S M L XL XXL

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

As the Parent/ Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I hereby approve of his/her participation in the Western Boone HS Football Coach's Camp. The signature on this form indicates that I accept full responsibility for any and all injuries or damages received by the participant. I hereby waive and release the camp director, coaches, and camp workers, from any and all liability due to illness or injury incurred while participating in or traveling to/from this camp. I acknowledge that this camp is not under the direction of the Western Boone Community School Corporation and therefore not responsible or liable for any injury/damage incurred while participating in or traveling to/from this camp..

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_



# 2018 Western Boone Middle School Football Camp (6-7-8th)

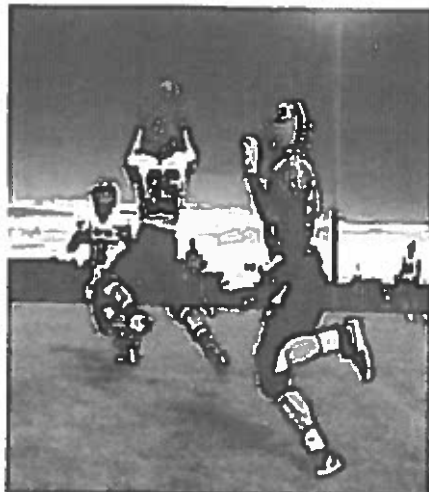
When: July 9th-10th-11th-12th

Time: 6pm-7:30pm Cost: \$50 (\$40 for each additional sibling)

Where: Western Boone Varsity Football Facility

**Special points of interest:**

- Position Specific fundamentals
- Speed Development
- Offensive and Defensive Emphasis.
- Pre-Registration is advised
- Walk up Registration will be accepted
- Cost is \$50 per athlete
- Camp Jersey will be provided
- Camp Competitions



The Western Boone varsity football staff will provide four days of fundamental instruction for athletes going into 6th, 7th and 8th grade. Each session will be set up similar to that of a varsity practice in order to familiarize our middle school athletes with our varsity coaches and day to day routines. Players can register, receive shoulder pads and helmets on June 6th, 20th or 27th from 5:30-6:30pm at Webo in pool hallway.

**You may also send registration to:**

Western Boone High School

Attn: Coach Pelley

1205 N State Rd 75

Thorntown, IN 46071

Contact Coach Pelley

[justin.pelley@webo.k12.in.us](mailto:justin.pelley@webo.k12.in.us)

with questions

**What to bring:**

- Completed registration form with parent signature.
- Shoulder pads
- Helmet
- Cleats
- Mouthpiece
- Shorts and T-Shirt

**(Please return with checks made out to ENDZONE CLUB)**

Player Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size: Youth S M L Adult Sizes: S M L XL XXL

As the Parent/ Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I hereby approve of his/her participation in the Western Boone HS Football Coach's Camp. The signature on this form indicates that I accept full responsibility for an and all injuries or damages received by the participant. I hereby waive and release the camp director, coaches, and camp workers, from any and all liability due to illness or injury incurred while participating in or traveling to/from this camp. I acknowledge that this camp is not under the direction of the Western Boone Community School Corporation and therefore not responsible or liable for any injury/ damages incurred while participating in or traveling to/from this camp..

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_



# 2018 WEBO Youth Running Camp



**Activities covered**

- Running fundamentals
- Fun activities
- Core strength
- Flexibility

**What to wear:**

- T-shirt & shorts
- Running shoes

**What to bring:**

- Completed registration form with parent signature
- Water bottle

**When:** July 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> from 5:30pm – 6:45pm

**Price:** Free

**Where:** Western Boone High School – by Sycamore trees next to tennis courts

**Who:** Granville Wells and Thomtown students who will be entering 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grades in the 2018 – 2019 school year

**What:** The Western Boone High School and Junior High Cross Country coaches will be holding a 3-day Youth Running Camp. Participants will be introduced to the sport of Cross Country. Activities will include running, stretching, and core-strengthening exercises. There will also be fun running activities to promote a positive experience.

**RSVP:** Please RSVP by July 1 to Coach Keith Lively @ [keith.lively@outlook.com](mailto:keith.lively@outlook.com) – or – Coach Alan Miller @ [alan.brenda.2006@hotmail.com](mailto:alan.brenda.2006@hotmail.com). Feel free to contact us with any questions.

Please RSVP (see above), then detach and bring the form below on the first day of camp

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade for 2018 – 2019: \_\_\_\_\_ School: Wells Thomtown (circle one)

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

As the Parent/Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I hereby give my permission for him/her to participate in WEBO Youth Summer Running Camp. I represent and warrant that he/she is adequately physically fit to participate in the camp and that he/she is adequately covered by medical insurance. I understand that, like any athletic activity, running and related activities can be dangerous and that participation carries the risk of injury or even death. I hereby waive, release, and discharge the Western Boone Community School Corporation, coaches, and camp workers from any and all liability due to injury or illness incurred while participating in or traveling to/from the camp.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# Cool Lake Golf Camp SESSION #2

**When:** Monday, July 23rd to Friday July 27th

**Where:** Cool Lake Golf Course

**Ages:** Incoming K to 8th

**Times:** Group 1: 8:30am to 9:30  
Group 2: 9:30am to 10:30

**CIRCLE PREFERRED TIME**

\*\* If the times are not 'even', I might ask for  
volunteers to change times

**Cost:** \$50 1st child  
\$45 2nd child (immediate family)  
\$40 3rd child (immediate family)

- Includes:**
- > Daily instruction from Western Boone HS Staff and other quality instructors.
  - > Basic instruction of the game... Full Swing, Chipping and Putting.
  - > Some on course time later in the week.
  - > Equipment provided if needed ( Please mark below)
  - > Competitions with awards to winners on Friday.
  - > T-Shirt for all campers.
  - > Chance to win small prizes daily

**To sign up:** Send Checks to: **Western Boone Boys Golf**  
**7341 W 350 N**  
**Thorntown, IN 46071**

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**Participates Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Incoming Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Shirt Size:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Experience: Yes or No**  
options: YM YL S M L XL XXL

**PREFERRED TIME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Do you need Clubs? Y or N**

Time	Activity	Blue Group	White Group	Competitive Group	Shooting Stage 2X
8:30 AM	Blue Group	Blue Group			
8:45 AM					
9:00 AM					
9:15 AM					
9:30 AM	Shooting Stage 2X		White Group 2X		
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2:00 PM					

Prisoner	Weight	Height	Part	End	Length	# of Weeks	No. of Sessions	Summary	Members	Member Fee	Start / Class	Pay Hour	Int./Class	No. Class/hrs	Month Income
Competitive (11-1)	M-F	5'7"	11:30AM	12:00PM	30 min	3	4	4	6	\$15.00	9-11 (11:30AM - 12:00PM)	11.31	54.50	18.15	\$178.50
Competitive (15-2)	M-F	5'7"	11:30AM	12:00PM	30 min	3	4	4	6	\$15.00	9-11 (11:30AM - 12:00PM)	11.31	54.50	18.15	\$178.50
Blue Group	M, W, F	5'7"	8:30AM	9:00AM	30 min	3	4	4	6	\$15.00	9-11 (8:30AM - 9:00AM)	11.31	54.50	18.15	\$178.50
Shooting Stage 2x WA	Tu, W, F	5'7"	9:15AM	9:45AM	30 min	3	3	3	3	\$15.00	9-11 (9:15AM - 9:45AM)	11.31	54.50	18.15	\$178.50
Shooting Stage 2x WA	Tu, W, F	5'7"	9:15AM	9:45AM	30 min	3	3	3	3	\$15.00	9-11 (9:15AM - 9:45AM)	11.31	54.50	18.15	\$178.50
White Group 2x WA	Al, Th	5'7"	9:30AM	10:00AM	30 min	2	2	2	2	\$15.00	9-11 (9:30AM - 10:00AM)	11.31	54.50	18.15	\$178.50
White Group 2x WA	Tu, W, F	5'7"	9:30AM	10:00AM	30 min	3	3	3	3	\$15.00	9-11 (9:30AM - 10:00AM)	11.31	54.50	18.15	\$178.50
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**RESOLUTION 2018-1  
PERMISSION TO PRE-WRITE VENDOR CHECKS**

This resolution is adopted by the Board of Trustees of Western Boone County Community School Corporation of Boone County, Indiana.

**WHEREAS**, throughout the calendar year the Board of School Trustees meetings do not always coincide with the due date on normal and customary financial obligations such as utility payments, insurance and contractual payments.

**WHEREAS**, by law the Board is not permitted and does not intend to suffer any penalties for late payment of financial obligations.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Business Manager/Treasurer is authorized to make payments on such financial obligations in a timely manner and present those details to the Board at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

**ADOPTED THIS 12<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2018**

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**RESOLUTION 2018-2  
VOID CHECKS**

This resolution is adopted by the Board of Trustees of Western Boone County Community School Corporation of Boone County, Indiana.

**WHEREAS**, IC 5-11-10.5-2 provides, all warrants or checks drawn upon public funds of a political subdivision that are outstanding and unpaid for a period of two or more years as of the last day of December of each year are void.

**WHEREAS**, such checks are to be receipted back into the fund(s) upon which the checks were originally drawn and removed from the list of outstanding checks.

**THEREFORE**, checks that are outstanding for two or more years are voided and receipted into their fund of origin, and are listed below.

<u>Date Issued</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Payee</u>	<u>Amount</u>
05/10/13	General	P. Savage	8.79
09/27/13	General	R. Miller	318.26
08/29/14	Transportation	V. Sheets	243.17
01/30/15	General	A. Collins	10.57
12/04/15	General	C. O'Brien	26.41
12/18/15	General	C. O'Brien	17.61
02/12/13	Textbook	K. Martin	2.95
02/12/13	General	Kramer Lumber	39.90
12/22/14	General	Minute Print It	83.00
06/15/15	Food Service	D. Basey	5.85
06/15/15	Food Service	C. Chadwick	6.86
06/15/15	Food Service	C. Keaton	8.40
06/15/15	Food Service	T. Stogsdill	19.40
08/19/15	Webo Ed Foundation	IN College Choice	100.00
08/19/15	Webo Ed Foundation	IN College Choice	100.00
		<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>991.17</b>

**ADOPTED THIS 12<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2018**


## **GENERAL FUND COMPARISON REPORT:**

As of February 2018 the General Fund cash balance was \$2,461,855.75.

The General Fund expenditures for February, 2018 were \$798,805.34.

As of the end of February, 2018, a total of 14% of the 2018 appropriation was expended.

FYI: The February, 2018 - Fund, Appropriation, and Revenue Reports are posted to the School Board Document Site

FUND REPORT  
 FEBRUARY 2018

FUND	TITLE	BALANCE BEGIN OF YEAR	REVENUE YTD	DISBURSED YTD	BALANCE BEGIN OF MONTH	REVENUE MTD	DISBURSED MTD	CURRENT BALANCE
** BANK #	0							
100	GENERAL FUND	2253342.43	1774270.96	1565757.64	2374743.59	885917.50	798805.34	2461855.75
200	DEBT SERVICE FUND	968662.98	0.00	0.00	968662.98	0.00	0.00	968662.98
350	CAPITAL PROJECTS	483518.52	0.00	373513.29	385257.44	0.00	275252.21	110005.23
410	SCHOOL BUS OPERATING FUND	904532.54	2386.72	180618.15	831243.98	0.00	104942.87	726301.11
420	TRAN SCH BUS REPLACEMENT	210188.41	0.00	0.00	210188.41	0.00	0.00	210188.41
610	RAINY DAY FUND	1312120.07	0.00	17073.09	1295046.98	0.00	0.00	1295046.98
700	CONSTRUCTION	621.90	0.00	0.00	621.90	0.00	0.00	621.90
715	GO BOND - 2016 PROJECT	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17
800	SCHOOL LUNCH FUND	501527.97	162925.18	127722.76	491893.85	128626.16	84791.62	536730.39
900	TEXTBOOK RENTAL	274536.93	48762.08	654.25	276609.18	46689.83	654.25	322644.76
1200	LEVY EXCESS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1920	SAFE HAVEN GRANT	-2574.76	2413.00	828.50	-3295.26	2413.00	108.00	-990.26
1957	CAREER COACH - NORTH MONT	0.00	0.00	2479.88	-823.95	0.00	1655.93	-2479.88
1958	COUNSELING GRANT - LILLY	2830.61	0.00	0.00	2830.61	0.00	0.00	2830.61
1959	LILLY - COMP COUNSELING G	163900.00	0.00	2479.84	163076.06	0.00	1655.80	161420.16
2004	DONATION - GW SCHOOLS	926.84	0.00	0.00	926.84	0.00	0.00	926.84
2005	DONATIONS-WB SCOREBOARD	951.50	0.00	0.00	951.50	0.00	0.00	951.50
2920	WEBB EDUCATION FOUNDATION	208950.42	21697.94	3180.39	207453.78	21249.19	1235.00	227467.97
3028	FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT GRAN	25051.08	0.00	19784.00	25051.08	0.00	19784.00	5267.08
3029	SPECIAL ED EXCESS COST FU	0.00	24600.00	24600.00	0.00	9840.00	9840.00	0.00
3110	RADIO/TV VOC ED PROGRAM	21705.66	0.00	1145.10	21705.66	0.00	1145.10	20560.56
3190	TECHNOLOGY ADVANCEMENTS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3200	ADULT EDUCATION	25881.87	735.84	306.88	25791.90	0.00	0.00	26310.83
3230	HIGH ABILITY GRANT - GT	11790.28	6157.00	5139.80	12889.88	2075.00	2157.40	12807.48
3250	MEDICAID REIMB - STATE	35538.43	4183.16	1564.64	37783.61	1937.98	1564.64	38156.95
3270	SECURED SCHOOL SAFETY GRA	0.01	0.00	4261.50	-4261.49	0.00	0.00	-4261.49
3710	NON-ENGLISH SPEAKING	567.65	0.00	0.00	567.65	0.00	0.00	567.65
3720	SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY FUND	13200.91	418.00	1519.90	12754.91	80.00	645.90	12189.01
3749	CAREER & TECH ADV FUND	17979.63	0.00	0.00	17979.63	0.00	0.00	17979.63
3790	21st SCHOLAR - CHE GRANT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3900	WBMANT GRANT	1230.52	127.00	0.00	1357.52	0.00	0.00	1357.52
3901	PRE-SCHOOL GRANT	33670.65	0.00	0.00	33670.65	0.00	0.00	33670.65
3902	SYNERGY LEADERSHIP GRANT	878.75	0.00	0.00	878.75	0.00	0.00	878.75
3903	WITHAM HOSP NAMING RIGHTS	0.00	100000.00	0.00	100000.00	0.00	0.00	100000.00
3930	WBBS GRANT	53.00	0.00	0.00	53.00	0.00	0.00	53.00
3940	ENERGY CLUB GRANT	1000.00	0.00	0.00	1000.00	0.00	0.00	1000.00
3950	YAR-MENTOR GRANT - WB	183.62	0.00	0.00	183.62	0.00	0.00	183.62
3960	COMM ART GRANT - YAR	146.97	0.00	0.00	146.97	0.00	0.00	146.97

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3970	STRATEGIC PLAN GRANT	3019.36	0.00	0.00	3019.36	0.00	0.00	3019.36
3980	UNITED WAY - READ UP	1250.00	0.00	1250.89	-0.89	0.00	0.00	-0.89
3990	SMART RESOLUTIONS/(NDG)'	11295.37	0.00	0.00	11295.37	0.00	0.00	11295.37
4130	TITLE I	-11225.09	17343.74	18140.00	-6118.65	6118.65	12030.35	-12030.35
5251	SPEC NEEDS GRANT- PT B	-28294.00	46230.37	44514.73	-17936.37	17936.37	26578.36	-26578.36
5401	PRE-SCHOOL FED 619 GRANT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6460	MEDICAID REIMB - FEDERAL	94309.87	8311.35	5841.44	93358.72	3850.50	429.44	96779.78
6840	TITLE II (A)-#84.387	-3147.44	6289.70	6284.52	-3142.26	3142.26	3142.26	-3142.26
6880	ENGLISH LANGUAGE TI-3	343.23	0.00	0.00	343.23	0.00	0.00	343.23
** Subtotal **		7540556.86	2226852.04	2408670.19	7573759.91	1131614.28	1346635.48	7358738.71
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8400	SLUNCH CLEANING ACCOUNT	28467.90	104271.35	99024.18	76995.45	55743.80	99024.18	33715.07
9210	FEDERAL WITHHOLD TAX	0.00	115108.43	115108.43	0.00	57550.33	57550.33	0.00
9220	SOC/SECURITY - CERT	0.00	100337.82	100337.82	0.00	52696.57	52696.57	0.00
9230	STATE TAX - PR	0.00	40188.23	40188.23	0.00	21417.90	21417.90	0.00
9240	C.A.G.L.T.	0.00	19659.57	19659.57	0.00	10319.56	10319.56	0.00
9250	TEACHERS RETIREMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9270	HEALTH INS -125	26128.20	53375.40	51813.16	25684.96	27690.44	25684.96	27690.44
9290	403B PRE-TAX ANNUITY	0.00	26328.16	26328.16	0.00	13185.08	13185.08	0.00
9300	ROTH AFTER TAX - ANNUITY	0.00	10137.12	10137.12	0.00	5073.56	5073.56	0.00
9310	ONE AMERICA LOAN REPAYMNT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9320	AFLAC - PRETAX	1181.26	2483.92	2450.20	1268.94	1214.98	1268.94	1214.98
9330	ISTA DUES	0.00	4155.44	4155.44	0.00	2077.72	2077.72	0.00
9340	AFLAC - FLEX-MED 125	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9350	LTD	1595.76	3231.19	3206.87	1611.11	1620.08	1611.11	1620.08
9470	HEALTH INS - AFTER TAX	12840.28	19161.64	21818.64	12193.04	7510.52	9511.28	10192.28
9480	AFLAC - AFTER TAX	474.18	935.12	730.06	624.26	467.56	412.58	679.24
9490	GARNISHMENT	0.00	1237.00	1237.00	0.00	664.00	664.00	0.00
9500	LIFE INSURANCE	0.00	4626.96	0.00	2807.48	1819.48	0.00	4826.96
9510	LIFE - ADDL	1196.68	3232.68	3175.44	1225.30	1616.34	1587.72	1253.92
9600	EDUCATION FOUNDATION-PR	0.00	590.00	0.00	298.00	292.00	0.00	590.00
9770	EXTRA CURR ACCT	465.35	1060.03	819.20	394.28	312.50	0.00	706.78
** Subtotal **		72358.61	510120.68	500189.52	123102.82	261272.42	302085.49	82289.75
*** Total ***		7612915.47	2736972.70	2908859.71	7696862.73	1392886.70	1648720.97	7441028.46